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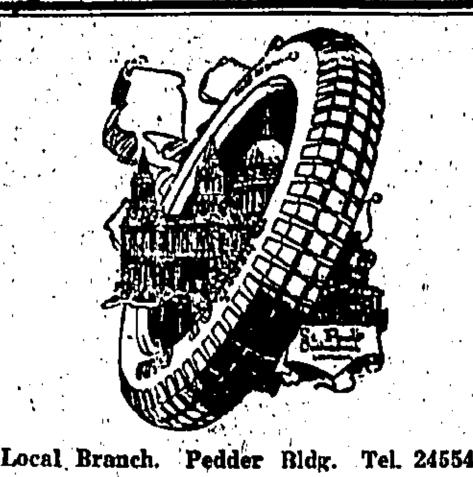
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#### CAUSES **GERMANY** IN

HOOVER'S ACT OF COURAGE

CENTRAL EUROPE MUST BE SAVED FROM COLLAPSE.

London, Yesterday.

No. 27,854

Ministers conferred for two hours to-day, when Mr. Ramsay MacDonald outlined the causes of the German crisis and the world ence. The original 21 apart from depression. He hailed President Hoover's moratorium as an act of law member of the Viceroy's Councourage and statesmanship, also a good stroke of business.

Germany's emergency must be met before it overwhelmed the whole of central Europe, and investors' confidence in Germany must | The new British members are Mr be restored. What could be done must be largely reserved for bankers and financiers, but he concluded that agreement here will re-inspire the peoples with confidence and courage.

. There will be a plenary meeting to-morrow at ten o'clock,

#### FOR GOOD OR

debtor countries.

States had to face in a less criti-

--British Wireless Service.

Earlier News.

Rugby, Yesterday.

Mr. Ramsay MacDonald em-thinks the Conference should phasised that the present con- serve. He expressed the view ference might be the turning that for good or ill the present point in the history of the world moment might prove one of the for good or ill. If no solution to turning points in the world's histhe crisis were found none tory, for if no solution were found could foretell the political and of the present crisis, the political financial dangers that would en- and financial dangers which If a solution were found, might follow could not be fore. it would be a striking proof of told. If a solution were found the growing effectiveness of in- then it would be a striking proof ternational co-operation.

Mr. MacDonald dined inform- International co-operation. ally with Dr. Bruening and Dr. Curtius at the House of Comderson and Mr. Philip Snowden the primary commodities had were also present.—Reuter.

### Immense Interest.

Rugby, Yesterday. Within an hour of their arrival at Victoria Station to-night the Italy and Belgium who had come from Paris to attend the Seven-Power Conference on the German financial situation had reassembled in company with representatives of Britain, America and Japan in the Prime Minister's room at the House of Commons for the preliminary meeting.

The immense public interest taken in the Conference, the im- their privileges under the Young comers from India are Sir P. legation was that he circulated Lance-Sergeant on April 21, 1928, girl's mother came to his house ised, was shown by the crowds at the station and later outside the House of Commons, where the delegates were greeted by the Prime Minister, the Foreign Secretary, Mr. Arthur Henderson, and the Chancellor of the ing held at Downing Street this Committee the depressed classes of BURGLARY Exchequer, Mr. Philip Snowden. morning Mr. Stimson called on the Labour and Indian women are now The proceedings were opened by Premier and had a half hour's conthe Prime Minister, who review- versation. ed the situation which the Conference had been called to face. but confident optimism in the best ened. The Committee will begin hours later.

#### Origin of Crisis.

conclusion of the sitting stated it is the purpose of the London there will be more additions which that Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, as conference to devise measures. President of the Conference, ex- Mr. Henderson has indicated that plained the origins of the crisis the exchange of views which he, and the importance of the task in company with Mr. MacDonald, is in special, charge of communal confronting them.

'Afterwards M. Laval gave the Conference an account of the meetings which had taken place in Paris and explained a subject of such importance to the spirit in which the conver-Europe and even to the world. sations between the French and German Ministers had been initiated.

position of France in the debate which was about to begin and he was very hopeful. France and Germany for the opened quietly, but although there year numbered 21.—Reuter. restoration of confidence and was a cautious attitude the undertone was cheerful as a result of credit in the world.

opinion of co-operation and ex- terence. moderated their demands, but they pressed gratitude for the oppor- British Press comment this morn- also realise the value of the friendtunity of the Paris conversations. He gave an account with statis Daily Hereld remarks with satis-derson and Mr. Stimson. They tics of the financial condition of faction on the absence yesterday of realise that, just because there can Germany and the measures taken

ing at the Foreign Office. The plant Charly the German could new stmosphere to the making of winning some back. However he against me was false of the mother's house. On Danger of Fallure. actent this which is purely is which one may now add that the the earth loat heavily. It would be procedure Mr. Dusiness arrangement—without the mississipersonal relations thuckly the theory are now advancing. His Worship, in remarking that You have heard the doctor's took off her close and threw them The state of the s

LONDON. Student Days Recalled by Visit.

#### TO REPRESENT CONGRESS.

Rugby, Yesterday. The India Office has issued the names of those invited to serve on the Federal Structure Committee of the Round Table Conference which is to resume its sessions in London in September. The members have been nominated by the Prime Minister according to the procedure adopted by the Conferir Pramsewami Ayiar, now acting cil, have been renominated and new members for the most part drawn from former delegates. Financial Lawrence. Secretary to the Treasury, who with the Lord Chancellor, Mr.

The chief interest, however, attaches to the new Indian nominees who did not take part in last year's proceedings and among whom is Mr. Gandhi who has been invited to represent the Indian National

Justice Sankey and Mr. Lees-Smith,

will represent the Government, and

Lord, Hailsham' for the Conserva-

#### Absence Regretted.

The absence of Congress last vear was generally regretted and following on the agreement between the former Viceroy, Lord Irwin, and Mr. Gandhi, which ended in the Civil Disobedience Campaign, of the growing effectiveness of it had been anticipated that Mr. Gandhi would be the representative He recalled how in the past two years the unprecedented fall of Congress at the resumed session. mons to-night. Mr. Arthur Hen- in prices among practically all The possibility of his visiting London recalled the fact that he was thrown out of gear the economic here some years ago to study at life of the world. This had ac- University College and was called centuated the burden of debts to the Bar by the Inner Temple. and led to the difficulties for all It was later in South Africa that he The effects became the champion of Indians' most acutely felt by the Interna. grievances and is believed to have Packet Company. tional industrial and financial developed his theories of nondelegates from France, Germany, States and the special position of violent resistance which have been in the House of Commons recent-Germany both as an exporting the outstanding feature since 1920 ly that the affairs of the Royal and a debtor State had involved of his position in India, where he Mail Co. were subject to invesher to a supreme degree in all returned just before the outbreak tigation.

#### the problems which the other of the Great War. Other Newcomers.

cal manner. The German Government had increased texation but last month felt bound to de. Indian opinion on behalf of the Line. He was created a Baron in clare that unless the position im- British' cause and conducted a 1923. proved they would have to use recruiting campaign. Other new Lord Kylsant said that the al- table, rising to the rank of What happened was that the Plan to declare a postponement. Thakurdas, Sir Maneckji Dadabhoy, false annual reports for 1926 and and Crown-Sergeant on January at noon on May 21, and asked the and a prominent Hindu leader. of the result.] Prior to a special Cabinet meet-By increasing the size of the

represented as well as the interests already mentioned and the Muslim There is an atmosphere of quiet representation has been strength-The meeting was still sitting two informed circles of London this work as soon after September 5 as morning. It is felt that the con- possible. versations, in Paris have made it The date of the resumed meeting

possible to define more clearly the A communique issued at the nature of the objective for which of the full Conference, to which it is hoped to announce shortly, is not yet fixed.

The Minorities Committee, which had with the French Ministers, problems, is expected to meet early has been of great mutual assistance. In October. The membership of He also derived great satisfaction this committee will also be increasfrom the recent visit to Paris of ed.—British Wireless Service.

Doctors Bruening and Curtius, on Federal Structure Committee. London, To-day. He said he believed there had been In order to broaden the basis, a very useful piece of preparatory of the Round Table Conference and work for the coming London con- include Congress leaders the He set forth in detail the ference, as to the result of which Premier has issued 86 invitations

है। दिलाहर सामग्री है से सामग्री के किया है। किया कि the Paris conversations, and in they very conscious of the way Dr. Bruening confirmed the anticipation of the London con which the French have now ing has also a hopeful tone. The ly advice given them by Mr. Hento meet it. He urged the necestation of political guarantees from to Germany just because there is alley of providing assistance to regardly and says.—The plan full recognition of her equal status in order to make good the said great European Power it is officially stated that the incompant to make good the said great European Power it is officially stated that the girl and her privilegs to the make good the said that the girl and her privilegs to the great forms of the make great European Power it is officially stated that the girl and her privilegs to the great forms of the make great European Power in order to make good the said that the girl and her privilegs to the great forms of dictating terms to Germany.

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#### GANDHI RETURNS TO PEER OF SERGEANT ROBERTS. **DOCK**

KYLSANT ON TRIAL.

COMPANY LIVED ON ITS OWN FAT.

the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company.

ing nearly five hours. He said that he did not disapprove of the creation of secret reserves, but submitted that the use of them over a long period in order to show that the Company was running smoothly was to present an absolutely untrue view of the Company's prospects and business.

The company lived on its own fat for five years and in 1926 was rapidly becoming a skeleton. Large sums were taken from

reserve to keep the pot boiling. Sir William McLintoch had reported that between 1921 and 1925 the sums taken from reserved totalled £2,800,000, and items of a non-recurring character brought up the grand total to £4,400,000.—Reuter. [A message of June 13 stated:

—Two summonses granted by the Magistrate Lat the Mansion House have been served on Lord Kylsant in connection with the affairs of the Royal Mail Steam The Attorney-General stated

Lord Kylsant, who is 68, is

Chairman and Managing Director of the R.M.S.P., the White At that time he helped to mobilise Star Line, and the Union Castle

and the prominent business men, 1927 in order to mislead share- 1, 1929. He was first attached to girl to come back home. She Mr. Iyengar, formerly Secretary of holders. He entirely denied the the Criminal Investigation De-spoke directly to the girl, and Congress, and Pandit Malaviya, allegations and would fight the partment where he worked for a said nothing to him. She certhe oldest living politician in India case to the hilt. He had no fear short period. His last post was tainly did not accuse him of rap-

Goods to Value of \$166 Stolen.

#### ACCUSED REMANDED.

A charge of burglary was brought against two Chinese at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning. when Lam Ngau and Leung Au were charged with breaking into and entering the Kowloon Golf Club between June 7 and 8 and stealing goods to the value of \$166.85. The goods taken were 39 golf balls, 88 cigars, 120 packets of Gold Flake cigarettes two bottles of

bottle of lime juice. Yau, were also charged with re-ment of \$2,287, the property of the girl had been absent?—I told Well, she often went back to her

ed not guilty to all charges. will appear for Fan Yau, one of the accused women.

## Bombed from Face of

#### Popular Officer Passes After Long Illness. SAW ACTIVE SERVICE.

The death occurred in the Kowloon Hospital at 3.10 o'clock this morning, of Sergeant William Thomas Roberts, of the Police Force, after a long illness. Deter with whom much sympathy will be extended in their sad bereavement.

Sergeant Roberts, before joining the Police in 1922, was a London, Yesterday. storekeeper in the Royal Garri-Kylsant and Mr. son Artillery with whom he saw entered the dock at active service during the War, the Old Bailey to-day and when he was gassed. He gained pleaded "not guilty" to charges three medals-Victory, General arising out of the affairs of Service, and the 1914-15 Star.

Traffic Duty. . At the age of 25 years, Ser-The Attorney-General open-| geant Roberts joined the Police ed the case with a speech last- on August 18, 1922, as a con-

#### FAIR.

To-day's weather report from the Royal Observatory "states:---

A trough of low pressure extends from the Upper Yangtsze Valley to the Sea of Japan with a depression in its Eastern extremity.

Forecast:—S.W. or variable winds; moderate to light; fair generally.

#### Rainfall.

Rainfall for 24 hours ended at 10 a.m. to-day, nil. Total since January 1-45.02 inches against an average of 47.05 inches — deficit 2.03

#### Temperature.

The temperature at certain specifical centres this morning

st 6 o'clock was:-	
Hong Kong	79
Масво	77
Pratas Island	81
Manila	76
Foochow	83
Amóy	84
Chefoo	68
Shanghai	

that of Traffic Sergeant in the ing her daughter. moved to hospital

highly respected member of the his own daughter, and finally the Force. He was in his 84th year, adopted daughter, sleeping next recommend the appointment of The funeral will take place at to the wall. Happy Valley at 5 o'clock this afternoon.

#### SHROFF GOES JAIL.

## Spent Employer's Money and Gambled.

Before Mr. Williams, in the Cen- done so at any time she was in terday's China Mail. brandy, a bottle of whisky, and a tral Police Court this morning, his house. Ma Ng-chau, a shroff, was charged How did the girl customer at Two women, Leung Tai and Fan on two counts with the embezzle- your store know how long the

LUCK DEAD OUT

once more expressed the hope of loyal collaboration between this morning, the new account of loyal collaboration between this morning, the new account of loyal collaboration between this morning, the new account of loyal collaboration between this morning, the new account of ill-treatment of loyal collaboration between this morning, the new account of ill-treatment of loyal collaboration between this morning, the new account of ill-treatment of loyal collaboration between this morning, the new account of ill-treatment of loyal collaboration between this morning, the new account of ill-treatment of loyal collaboration between this morning, the new account of ill-treatment of loyal collaboration between this morning, the new account of ill-treatment of loyal collaboration between this morning, the new account of ill-treatment of loyal collaboration between this morning, the new account of ill-treatment of loyal collaboration between this morning, the new account of ill-treatment of loyal collaboration between this morning, the new account of ill-treatment of loyal collaboration between this morning, the new account of ill-treatment of loyal collaboration between the new account of ill-treatment of loyal collaboration between the new account of ill-treatment of loyal collaboration between the new account of loyal collabora have been paid into the Bank of not return to my place. Jury's Question, The hearing was fixed for Tues- East Asia, whilst \$287 had been col- But you did nothing about it? Reply to the Foreman of the day next, when Mr. F. H. Kwok lected from the Tung Shan Hotel. - I intended to go over, but I Jury, the accused's wife said that year he collected, on behalf of the And what did the mother say sleeping on the same bed because

ing his employment, he took \$287 Station?-Yes. I wanted to re- A female witness who did not

## PIGEON"

ETHICS EXPLAINED AT ASSIZES.

#### ceased leaves a wife and daugh- JUDGE REBUKES THE PRISONER.

-A-statement-that-'if-he-had forth several further questions from the Puisne Judge (Mr.)

during cross-examination, and afraid he might be charged dipped in gold. with rape. Prisoner, in reply. denied that he had used the words "ill-treatment."

His Lordship: You did. myself.

Upon further questions being he said "ill-treatment."

saying that. We all heard it. won't answer the question, Mr. Whyte-Smith."

#### A General Denial.

tempt to swindle him out of the the first occasion. \$100 he had paid to adopt her. In dismissing the case Mr. Fraser In giving evidence, and in answer cautioned the pawnbroker to be to his counsel, Mr. A. M. L. more careful when buying gold.

Soares, he said that he adopted ed on May 19 or 20, or at any time during the five weeks the girl was at his house. He denied the girl's accusations of rape.

New Territories. In the middle As regards the sleeping arof June he became ill and was re- rangements, witness said he day at question time Mr. G. M. slept on the outside of the bed: He was a very popular and His wife was next him, then came

Why Girl Was Adopted.

examined, witness telling him isations were conferring with that he adopted the girl to help several industries with a view to his wife when he was away mar- this recommendation receiving keting. He did not adopt a boy the fullest consideration. because that would have been Reuter. too expensive. He could not explain why the girl waited until four o'clock on May 21 to attempt whose death was reported by to run away, when she left his Reuter from London yesterday house at noon. She could have was Rear-Admiral Wilfrid Allan easily done so before. She had Egerton, C.M.G., and not Rear-

Accused said that some time last was afraid of giving offence. ... she did not object to the girl firm, \$300 from the Kowloon Motor when the pair were brought the girl slent next to her, add-Bus Company, but he had spent it. back?—She accused me of an ing: "There is no such thing as Not daring to tell his master of offence against her daughter. A father sleeping with the daughwhat had happened, for fear of los- Then you went to the Police ter.

#### MODERN ALCHEMIST IN TROUBLE.

#### Said to Have "Made" Gold Out of Copper.

CASE DISMISSED.

Wang Sik, a Chinese, made an appearance at the Kowloon, Magistracy this morning, charged with obtaining \$85 by false pretences on July 6 and also with obtaining \$18

by similar means on July 20. He took several pieces of metal, which had been gold-dipped, to a pawnbroker's shop and purported that they were pieces of gold. The complainant, Leung Chultaken the girl to the Police lam, master of the Sing Tai Pawn

Station she might have accus- Shop, 109, Parkes Street, said that ed him of ill-treatment," made the accused came to his shop at by Chan Ming, charged at the about noon on June 6, and tendered Assizes with rape, brought one of the pieces of metal to his foki, and asked \$20 for it. He eventually went away, having been Justice Lindsell) this morning. paid \$17. At 6.80 p.m. on the same day he brought another piece, for Mr. Whyte-Smith (for the foki. It was not until after the which he was paid \$18 by the same second visit that the deception was kind of ill-treatment," further discovered. It turned out that the suggesting that prisoner was metal was not gold but only copper

#### Fraud Discovered.

On June 20 about 8.30 p.m. the Don't tell lies. I heard you man came again with, another piece of "gold" and asked for \$18, and was arrested.

The foki of the pawn shop corout on the point, witness went roborated this evidence, and Leung into a rambling statement, and Kui-ching, a goldsmith, stated that wound up by again denying that he had examined the metal and discovered the fraud. One of the His Lordship: It is no good pieces of metal weighed 8.6 mace and would be worth \$86 if genuine After a further long speech by gold, but he could not state that witness, His Lordship said: "He value of the actual piece in question until he had melted it down and extracted the gold.

Questioned by Mr. Fraser, accused said that he was given the Prisoner's evidence generally "gold" by a friend to pawn, and was to the effect that the girl that when he was in the pawnshop was "flying the white pigeon," he told the foki that it was base (trying to run away) in an at- gold. He denied going there on

### the girl on April 14. He denied NEED OF EXPERTS TO REVIVE TRADE.

Recommendation of the Far East Mission. RECEIVING CONSIDERATION.

#### London, Yesterday.

In the House of Commons to-Gillett, Minister of Trade, replied that the report of the Economic Mission to the Far East did not Trade Commissioners, but specialists and experts.

His Department and members Mr. Whyte-Smith then cross- of the Mission and trade organ-

The Rear-Admiral Egerton made no previous attempt to es. Admiral Wion de Malpas Egercape, although she could have ton, D.S.O., as reported in yes-

Do you suggest anybody else?

but all the others concerned plead. It was stated that \$2,000 was to and told me that the girl could Sin, prisoner's wife, was called.

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### RATIONALISATION THE U. K.

The First to Suffer, First to Recover.

INTERESTING PHENOMENON:

Among the British industries which were the first to feel effect of the post-war difficulties all sections were so affected, for try has been very active for some years past and has enjoyed relative prosperity. But the "heavy indus. a high level when allowance tries" have had a trying time.

writes a special correspondent in to somewhat more liberal use partment of Overseas Trade. The supplies of credit. reason for this seeming paradox is that they were the first to reorganise. In the engineering industries of Great Britain "rationalisation" was begun several years ago. Great firms were amalgamated, capital was ruthlessly cut down and vast economies effected. The result of all this painful but necessary activity is that now these in dustries are in a better position to cope with present difficulties than

#### Shares Appreciate.

An indication of how the indusconcerns is the world-renowned takings. Messrs. Vickers. Limited. This company has just paid for the tunate that bank deposits portant commercial centres of the now it enjoys a strong financial necessary to maintain the external We also handle the issue of Bonds it to pass through even a prolong- any incipient movement towards and other Public Funds of the Chin-ed period of bad trade with com-business recovery were hampered ese Government both at home and parative equanimity." This is to the slightest extent by illiberreflected by the enhanced Stock suggest, states the "Review," Exchange quotations.

In spite of all the difficulties of moment but in these matters last year the total exports of longer view must be taken, and British-made machinery averaged is only too easy to be too The values were £1.100,000 a of the volume of business. month, or 40 per cent. above the figures for 1913, a year of special of the world," it is added, considerable advance. Agricul- would suggest that there Chief Manager. 1929 figure.

Most Prosperous Section. The electrical section of the industry has been the most prosperhave risen steadily in the last ten years, and they are now one-and a-half times the volume of 1918. British exports of these goods are now 26.6 per cent. of the world's exports for this class of goods. In the locomotive section of the trade the position is even more encourag-

In 1980 the volume of trade was higher than in any other year since 1922 (when replacement of war-depreciated rolling stock was some of the ultra-nationalist

higher than in 1918. that the output per worker in the consequences of that mad and ill-British engineering industry has considered policy." Ite own foreincreased. For example, in the sight, efficiency and financial motor industry the nutput per man strength have enabled it to mitthas advanced from 1.99 private gate for the time being the worst Care in 1984 to 281 care in 1927. | effects of the resultant lower values

### HASTEN TRADE RECOVERY.

Should Be Provided.

MIDLAND BANK'S VIEW

The Midland Bank, in Monthly Review, has added Board of Trade index of production was the engineering industry. Not to its series of quarterly charts. The relative buoyancy of home the electrical branch of the industrade is indicated, among several signs, by the maintenance country and provincial clearings at made for lower commodity prices. "economic blizzard" caused by a occurred in the proportion of curteresting phenomenon is to be wit- posits of the Midland Bank is also Chairman to emphasise afresh the nessed that it is just those industiencouraging as a hint of slightly. tries which suffered earliest in the freer movement of money supplies. ganisation's operations to post-war depression that are now A rise shown in bank advances. the "Monthly Bulletin" of the De- trade and industry of the available

> Strength of Sterling. credit policy can safely be pur Provincial revenues of India. sued. In one sense such a policy

is clearly being followed-money is cheap and the rates now current will provide some stimulus, when try is faring is given by the recent a more enterprising spirit prevails, advance in the value of stocks and to the development of business. shares of British engineering com- particularly international trade. panies. One of the largest of these and expansion of capital under-

On the other hand, it is unfor fourth year in succession a divi- reached a lower level than was dend of 8 per cent. The company ruling either a year or two years some few years ago had to make ago. This development may have immense cuts in its capital but resulted from steps considered position. As its chairman remark- value of sterling but it would be ed a year ago, this "would enable unfortunate to the last degree if true of other firms in the industry ality in the provision of financial hence the restrained optimism facilities. It would be absurd. any actual shortage exists at the 40,000 tons a month. It was greater The volume of credit should not than in 1922, 1923, 1924 or 1926. follow, but should move in advance

"This country, and indeed most prosperity to the industry. As suffering at the present time from wholesale commodity, prices are a violent and obstinate attack of now below pre-war level, this is a mental depression. Only a fool tural machinery has been the justification for this feeling, yet hardest hit of the machinery sec- on the other hand, the conditions tion, and it experienced a decline are in important respects propitious last year of 10 per cent. on the for substantial recovery of busi-Events usually regarded as quite and with the least permanent despondency can be abandoned outside the economic sphere may ous. Electrical machinery exports yet provide the initial stimulus to change of sentiment leading to an upward swing of business.

### BURMA'S OIL. Company's Fine Record.

Burma owes an incalculable deb very grudgingly acknowledged by at its height), and ten per cent. politicians, to British capital and enterprise, (saya the Financial As to profits in 1980, 20 general Times in mail week). This no unengineering firms, which were biased spectator at the meeting of typical of the whole industry, the Burma Oll Company can showed net profits of \$1,289,000, or deny. In the face of a balance-4.7 per cent, on issued capital sheet which the Chairman rightly after allowing for debenture in described as the finest in the comterest and depreciation. According pany's long and honourable histo the "Economist," 62 represents | tory, the Board might have maintive engineering and allied frms, tained the Ordinary dividend at 80 with a total share and loan capital per cent. The course they preferof \$184,000,000, showed net profits red to take does credit both to rising from \$5,678,000 in 1927 to their caution and patriotism. Al-\$7,211,000; in 1980, a return of though the organisation has taken capital of 5.2 per cent: In addition no part in the "insane race for these same firms reduced deben production which is responsible ture debt by \$12 millions. | for so large a measure of the in-Some interesting figures have dustry's froubles, it has been comrecently theen compiled showing pelled with others to suffer the

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#### tinue to send undiminished and ever-increasing supplies. In other words, the indigenous industry, which has not increased but wisely stabilised its production, is actually expected to curtail the extent of its operations, with all that means to the many thousands of Indians and Burmese engaged in or dependent upon it; in order to make room for their foolish com-

market Russia and America con-

petitors' overflow. To such a demand there can only one answer, and Sir John Car-Ample Credit Facilities gill gave it in the clearest and most emphatic terms. The time has arrived, he said, when porters of foreign oils must, instead, be required to "hold back to the extent necessary for India's indigenous production to find its market in India itself.' It is not merely a question of protecting the Burma Oil Company's own interests. The organisation's position in the economic life of the country, and its responsibility towards its vast

labour force, alike demand that the duty shall be resolutely faced. The success of its representations will, in large measure, depend Now, at the height of the The fact that some recovery has upon the support which they, receive in India and Burma itself world-wide slump in trade, the in- rent account balances to total de- It was, therefore, opportune for the 'immense value of the Burma or

economic welfare of India. in a more favourable position, too, may be considered as pointing may doubt whether, even in official circles, the extent of its stake, as brought out in the exceptionally instructive and arresting statistics cited by Sir John Cargill, is even now realised. The enterprise The monetary situation is in which 41 years ago consisted mereother important respects conducive ly of an almost derelict refinery to business recovery. Sterling has with a white staff of only six has been comparatively strong in re-grown through its own unaided lation not only to dollars but to efforts into a vast Imperial orfrancs, reichsmarks and other cur- ganisation, with over 52,500 "emrencies. As a consequence the re-ployees on an annual pay-roll of serve and gold holdings of the over £2,600,000, which contributes central bank have recovered to a each year nearly £2,500,000 in level at which a moderately liberal taxation alone to the Central and

### 1s. 4d. RUPEE RATIO. M. Webb's Cure

For 'Desperate Disease' "Desperate diseases demand desperate remedies," said Sir Montague Webb, formerly chairman of the Karachi Chamber of Commerce, in an interview during which he urged the reduction of

the rupes ratio to 1s. 4d. "Dropping the sterling value of the rupee seems to me the least dangerous course to follow in the present very grave economic emer-

gency," said Sir Montague. "The desperate disease to-day is a world-wide fall in prices, so extries have been brought to verge of ruin. In India the inability of the agriculturists to sell their products profitably prevents them from buying manufactured goods, or even paying land taxes consequently both the Provincial and Central Governments are

threatened with bankruptcy. "The Government of India cannot meet its sterling liabilities Private traders are paralysed. further falling in prices threatens economic and political chaos. these circumstances dropping rupee to is. 4d., very objectionable as it is in many ways, is, in my ness in general if the extremes of opinion, the remedy that can be applied most quickly and effectively

> "There is no special evil in the 1s. 6d., or any particular virtue the 1s. 4d., rupes but altering the ratio will raise prices in India and so save the countryside from disaster, and it is the countryside that chiefly matters.

can be relied upon to ease the present difficulty while the United States is recovering her reason."

#### WEATHER. BUT NO FORECASTS.

What Antarctic Voyages Missed Most.

TWO YEARS' RESEARCH.

There were glad reunions on board "Discovery II." in St. Katherine's Dock, Stepney, last month. The ship has been away two years in the Antarctic, conducting research work in connection with the habits and movements of whales. She was held up by fog near South-

land, but was able to dock early. Doctor S. W. Kemp and Doctor Neil Mackintosh, the senior scientific leaders of the expedition, said that they were thoroughly satisfied with the results. One of the crew

"I should not exactly call it a pleasure cruise, but at the same time I cannot say we had altogether a bad time. What was the weather like? Well, it was just the same as you have had at home, only a lot more so. Talk about rain; it came down on us in drops the size of half-crowns. Talk about cold; it was nearly enough to freeze you. We wore fur helmets, heavy wool coats, thick woollen jerseys, sea boots, and everything that could possibly keep us warm, and then it was quite cold enough for me. The for was the worst. We have had a lot of it. When you get fog out there among the ice packs you don'tknow what you're going to bump into from one minute to the next."

Ate Whale and Shark. "One of the things we missed," another man said. "was the weather forecasts over the wireless. They would have been useful. There we were thousands of miles away from a station, and never within range of a wavelength by which we could get the forecasts. News, of course, we did get with our own wireless."

Mr. A. Berry, the chief steward, said that they caught whales and sharks, and ate large quantities of their meat. Shark tasted like thick turbot. Seal liver was another

The crew came from Portsmouth. Glasgow, and all parts of the

Autographed photographs of the King and Queen are on board the. ship. Hundreds of photographs of Antarctic conditions and specimens have been brought back by the expedition.

### Backaches and Their Causes.

Many people, when they experience an ache or pain in the small of the back, immediately jump to the conclusion that something must be wrong with their kidneys. This, as any doctensive, so rapid, so unending that tor will agree; is in most cases an all primary producers in all coun- entirely erroneous idea. In not one per cent. of cases of backache are the kidneys at fault, for when kidney troubles have reached the stage wherepains in the back are manifested, the sufferer is in a serious state and will

be confined to bed. People who are well enough to get about and yet suffer from back pains must seek the cause of their troubles elsewhere. Aches and pains in the back are chiefly signs of a general run-down condition. The blood has become thin and impoverished and hence both the muscular and the nervous system are being starved. The muscles of the back which hold up the whole weight of the body soon. tire. Also the spinal region is a great nerve centre and the pains are

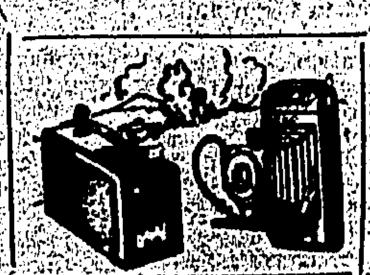
sure signs of weakening nerves. Women are more subject to backaches than men, this, of course, being due to the heavy demands made npon a woman's bloodstream by nature. Hence the greater frequency with which blood impoverishment and its consequent suffering is found

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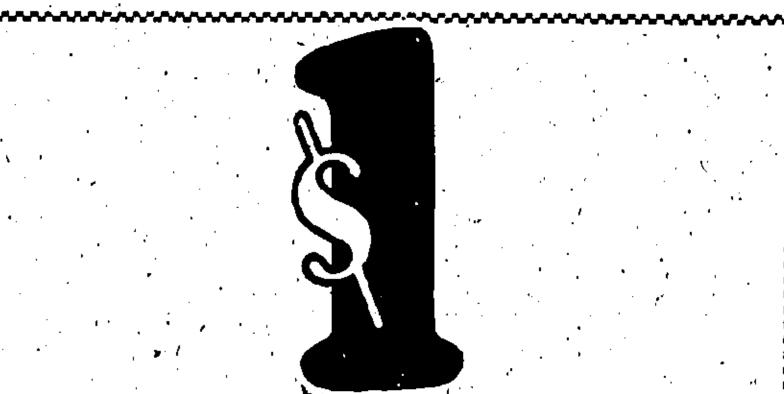


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are able to stop in mid-air. Food part until she has attended lamp-posts are gone, the lights easy to react to his suggestions. keeping affoat in air. House-steps | Miss Revier's responsive tem-

Mars! Just imagine! Here the strong sense of rhythm from brows being just vertical lines!

reen O'Sullivan, John Garrick, success. Marioric White, Frank Albertson, Hobart Bosworth, Kenneth Thom- "Call of the West", is that of a son. Wilfred Lucas, Sidney De Broadway musical comedy favourite. Gray and Joseph Girard. A fea- Buff Jones, Alan Roscoe, Nick De ture is that the cast have no Ruiz, Ford West, Vic Potel and smashing of a statue in the names, but are numbered, like Kathrin Clare Ward play sup- garden of Mr. Francis Doyle-Jones, LN-18, J-21, MT-3, etc. Brendel, porting roles. Albert Ray direct- the sculptor, of Wentworth Studios who is brought to life after fifty ed. years, finds that all the numbers have been booked and so he takes Single-0.

An extreme absurdity, but nevertheless very enjoyable.

### From Other Sources.

"UNFAITHFUL."

"Unfaithful," which is now showing at the King's Theatre, is Ruth Chatterton's latest starring dramatic hit, her third featuring Paul Lukas in the leading male role. Lukas, a perfect foil for Chatterton's emotional personality, leaped to popularity with his work in Chatterton's "Anybody's Woman," added laurels with his work in "The Right to Love." "Unfaithful"

offers him a greater opportunity

than any previous picture.

Important roles in such pictures as "The Devil to Pay," "Grumpy," "The Storm" and "The Virtuous signature. Sin" lead Paul Cavanagh to an important featured role opposite Ruth Chatterton in the dramatic star's latest emotional hit, "Unfaithful." the theatre capitols of two contin- tween acting and attending school While the screen has contributed ents, London and New York, and allowed him no great chance to greatly to Miss Mackaill's fortune then cast her fortunes with talking adopt and take care of one of as well as to her fame and popupictures, has the "other woman" Pierce's "pound" types. role in Ruth Chatterton's amazing drama. Juliette Compton, whose other well known little stars to the lot." A business woman as effective work in "Ladies of Leisure," "Anybody's Woman" and "Morocco" introduced her to screen audiences, is the girl.

"Directed by John Cromwell" is hit pictures made by Cromwell.

### "PARLOUR, BEDROOM & BATH."

They play the bell boy and detec- ficient, Italian. tive, respectively, in "Parlour, Bedroom and Bath," Buster in "The Easiest Way," which will "Lightnin" has made him the Keaton's new comedy which is now open on Thursday at the Queen's most sought after juvenile actor in at the Queen's Theatre.

Keaton laugh-maker.

The talkie is an elaborate adapta- 1909. tion of the stage farce with Keaton as a billposter who becomes a "great lover." His victims include the preposterous, long-legged Charlotte Greenwood, Dorothy Christy,

Edward Sedgwick directed.

#### "CALL OF THE WEST."

Players of the adaptable type are

invariably more popular with motion picture directors than those who have set ideas of their own. The reason for this is obvious;

pliable Thesplans are quick to respond to ideas and easy to handle. This does not mean that they lack personality—it simply means that they have sufficient temperament to attune themselves to the direccredit to the producer and techni- tor's mood and carry out his in-

An outstanding example of this gine," formerly screened at the type of player is Dorothy Revier, King's Theatre, and now at the who is co-featured with Matt Moore in "Call of the West," the It is a picture that tells of what all-taking drama of the great the world would be like lifty years outdoors now showing at the hence, that is, in 1980. It shows Central Theatre. Miss Revier dethat motor cars are dispensed with, clares that she makes it a practice "The Pagan." being replaced by aeroplanes that not to form any definite idea of a and drink are contained in the form | hearsal. "Thus, when she has her of pills, and almost everything is first reading with a director, she manipulated automatically. Even is in a receptive mood and finds it

are huge blocks of stone, and so on. perament may be attributed part-"Just Imagine" also takes one to ly to the fact that she inherits a population is composed of twins, musical father. As a child she one half being good natured, whilst displayed an instinctive talent for the other half are bad. Weird is interpretative dancing. She would the setting here, the women's eye- create steps to every musical composition her father would play. No No film is complete without a doubt these efforts developed in her cast, and in "Just Imagine" the fol- the sensitiveness to mood that has lowing appear-El Brendel, Mau-contributed so much to her screen

The role Miss Revier plays in

Robert Coogan, the "Kid's" very own "kid brother," at the age of News that a neighbour saw two five, wants the newspapers to quote young men, wearing light flannel, him as being "properly grateful" suits walk up to the statue in the for the ability and parental train- garden and, it is believed Songing which have enabled him to they deliberately pushed it over print his own name.

The ability to do so has made him "The statue fell with a great sense of the word. Although the two men ran out of the garden Collette (Frascr-Simson). Jackie's brother is not yet old and, I think, went away in a wait- Memories of Devon (Evans). enough to enter his primer classes, ing car. he is signing autographs just other famous film folk.

It was not until Robert was selected for the role of "Sooky," in Paramount's talking feature version of "Skippy," the Percy Crosby's friends of Ruth Roland have on cartoon celebrity, and which will many occasions appropriated the show at the King's Theatre, begin- honour for her, but were they ever ning to-morrow, that Coogan, the to stage a cheque writing derby younger, found any demand for his among the screen's fair sex; one

Jackie Cooper, six-year-old tow- Mackaill, who enacts the leading head. He is quite fond of dogs, role in the Fox movietone producand one of his greatest concerns tion "Once A Sinner," which opens The Language of the Nightingale An American girl of brilliant during the making of the picture its engagement on Thursday at the brunette beauty who made good in was that the division of time be- Central Theatre.

have parts in the picture.

Adolphe Menjou attributes his in the North-West. She is a a phrase rapidly gaining authority efficiency at languages to two director of one of the largest banks as entertainment insurance with things: first, the fact that his on the Pacific Coast, a partner in moving picture audiences. "Un- father was an accomplished an advertising agency and a keen faithful" is the latest of a series of linguist, speaking nine tongues; real estate operator. second, to frequent trips abroad as "Once a Sinner," which Guthrie

Menjou has already appeared in iginal story of George Middleton, pictures in four different lan- the well known playwright and Cliff Edwards and Edward guages, English, French, German dramatist, is a daring drama of a Brophy, the inimitable comedy team and Spanish, and he says that he modern Magdalen which asks and of "Those Three French Girls" and still has to do a film in the foreign answers the old, yet ever new, ques-"Dough Boys," are together again. language in which he is most pro- tion, "Do a girl's past life and sins

Theatre and in which he supports screenland, portrays the leading Reginald Denny, who made the Constance Bennett. This is the male role of Miss Mackaill's young duo a trio in "Those Three French Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer adaptation of and jealous husband, who failed to Girls," is also present in the new the celebrated Belasco stage hit in live up to his promise to forget her which Frances Starr scored in past. John Halliday, noted stage

Who is the richest woman Hollywood to-day? This is often mainder of the strong cast includes Joan Peers, Sally Eilers and Natalie asked and much mooted question. Ilka Chase, Clara Blandick, Myra The distinction has often been Hampton, George Brent, Sally claimed for Mary Pickford and the Brane and Ninette Faro.

COMING EVENTS ANNOUNCED IN CHINA MAIL.

Entertainments.

To-day — King's Theatre: 'Unfaithful."

· Theatre; To - day — Queen's 'Parlour, Bedroom and Bath."

To - day — Central Theatre: "The Call of the West." To-day - Majestic Theatre; Just Imagine."

To-day - World To - day - Star Theatre:

'Let's Go Places."

Home Mails. To-day-Inward from Europe via

Siberia (D'Artagnan). To-morrow-Outward for Europe via Marseilles (Diomed), 2.30 p.m. Thursday-Inward from Europe via Negapatam (Hakozaki Maru).

See Sports Diary on Page 4.

#### STATUE SMASHED. Raid by Two Men on a

Sculptor's Garden. A GREAT CRASH.

Police are investigating the Manresa Road, Chelsea.

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Mr. Doyle-Jones told The Evening and smashed it.

true film player in the fullest crash," said Mr. Doyle-Jones, "and

"I am certain it was an act of Air on G String (Bach arr Sear), vandalism, but I do not know the Funeral March of a Marionette

little lady who would be right in Song-That part of Skippy is played by front at the finish is Dorothy

larity, she has added much to her Mitzi Green and Jackie Searl are wealth by her many activities "off well as an artist, this delectable blonde is the owner of a large and prosperous range in Southern Concert. California, and of vast timber lands

McClintic directed from the orbelong to herself?"

His latest English talkie role is Joel McCrea, whose work in and screen star, and C. Henry Gordon, whose most recent role was Captain Mordiconi in the Fox movietone. "Renegades," are the in other featured players. The re-

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A Blues Serenade, Len Fillis & Sid Bright. Banjo Solo-Butterfingers ....Len Fillis (4920).

We Must All Pull Together, Gorgonzola Jack Morrison (DB330)

Fire Cruckers, Donald Thorne (5155).

Spring Feelin'.

Old Barty, The Bulls Won't Bellow, Harry Dearth (Baritone) 7.20-7.38 p.m.—Octets.

J. H. Squire Celeste Octet (Gounod arr. Sear),

J. H. Squire Celeste Octet Minuet Sicilienne (Squire & Hart), J. H. Squire Celeste Octet

7.38-8 p.m.—Concert Items. Guitar Solo-Gavota (Gomez),

Guillermo Gomez (5397). Vale (S'Arcy & Russell),

Mme. Clara Serena, Controlto (Gennin) .Jean and Pierre Gennin

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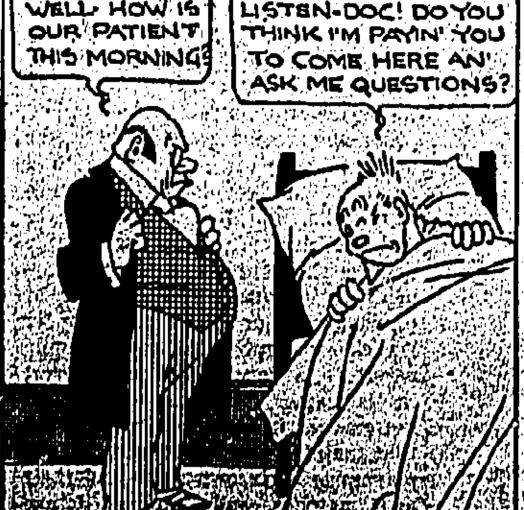
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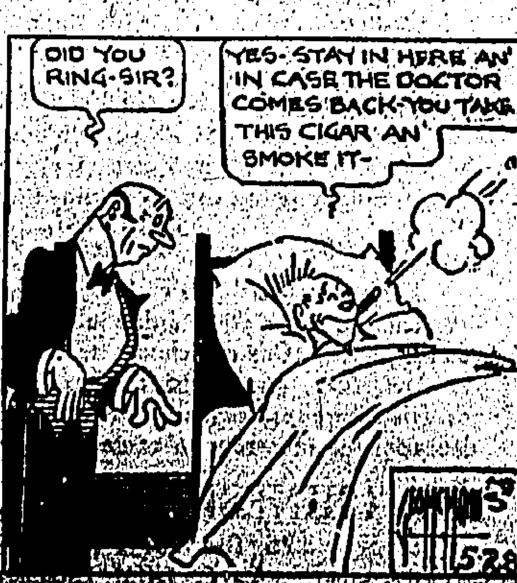
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#### OF KENT AT LAST SECOND RECREIO.

Craigengower Spring a Surprise.

UNIVERSITY TOO STRONG.

In the "B" Division of the Lawn Tennis League the Craigengower C.C. on their own courts defeated the Club de Recreio by 7 sets to 2 yesterday.

Scores:---J. Leonard and G. Lai (C.C.C.):beat J. Remedios and J. beat C. A. Barretto and A. beat H. Barros and V. Yvanovich ..... 6- 3

E. Zimmern and F. Zimmern (C.C.C.):--

beat J. Remedios and J. Gonzalves ..... 6drew with C. A. Barretto and A. Silva ...... 6- 6 wickets for 99 runs.

beat H. Barros and V.

(C.C.C.) :—

beat J. Remedios and J. Gonzalves ..... 6- 1 drew with C. A. Barretto and A. Silva ..... 6- 6 lost to H. Barros and V.

Yvanovich - . . . . . . . . . . 4- 6 Big Victory.

The University team defeated the South China A.A. by nine sets to nil on their own courts yesterday.

Scores:--D. J. Anderson and F. Y. Chew (University): beat Chan So and C. C. Luk 6- 3 beat Ng Sau-kwan and H. K.

Но ..... 6- 0 beat N. C. Yung and C. Y. Tsao ..... 6- 0

Y. K. Ng and G. E. Yeoh (University):beat Chan So and C. C. Luk 6-3 beat Ng Sau-kwan and H. K. Ho ...... 6- 3 | landers at Sunderland. beat N. C. Yung and C. Y.

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Tsao ..... 6- 1 LOCAL

League Table to Date. P. W. D. L. F. A. Pts.

Recreio 9702492914

Indian R.C. 8512413111

C.S.C.C. 95138844484411 University . 8 5 0 3 52 19 19 10 Chinese R.C. 4 4 0 0 2614 614 ... 7. 1. 0 6 21 1/4 41 1/4

"C" DIVISION. In the "C" Division of the Lawn Tennis League the Hong Kong Cricket Club defeated the Army Tennis Club by nine sets to nil. League Table to Date.

Indian R.C. 9 4 1 4 38 Kowloon C.C. 7. 4. 0. 8. 82 1/2 28 1/2 Army T.C. 7. 8. 0. 4. 22 1/2 87 1/2 Radio S.C. 8 2 2 4 2514 4514 Craigengower 8 1. 0. 7 2014 5114; C.S.C.C. . . . 7 0 1 6 21 42

## LIMELIGHT AGAIN.

Unusual "Treble" in the Insurance Meet.

ONE RECORD ESTABLISHED.

Lord Burghley, the Olympic and Empire Games hurdles champion, was among the many star per formers at the Insurance A.A. championships. Burghley, representing London and Lancashire, got into three finals, and opened a rather unusual treble", by taking the quarter easily in 51 4/575 The furlong followed—in 28,4/5—and there the old Light, Blue won his bwite particular and ovent the 19120 yard hurdles without being ex tended in 15% sec. a record for the

#### WIN AMAZING RECORDS BY HELENE MADISON. A MATCH.

MIDDLESEX DEFEATED.

Freeman and Ryan in Amongst the Wickets.

NEW ZEALANDERS DRAW.

London, Yesterday. other win in the County Champion- events. ship, this time at the expense of. Middlesex. Splendid bowling by 6-3 "Tich" Freeman, who took Middlesex twice for 193 runs.

Glamorganshire were indebted to Ryan for their seven wickets victory over Worcestershire. The tall left-hand slow bowler captured 1:

Yvanovich ...... 6-3 content with a draw against Dur- quiring her fourteenth world's W. J. Howard and Y. Hachiuma scored his first century of the tour standard events. and Allcott captured seven cheap wickets.

> were as follow:-Kent beat Middlesex by an innings and 70 runs at Maidstone.

Scores:— Kent: 263 (Durston & for Middlesex: 110 (Mariott 4 for 44, Freeman 5 for 55); 83 (Freeman 6 for

Glamorganshire beat Worcestershire by seven wickets at Ponty-

Worcester: 100 (Ryan 7 for 52); 86 (Ryan 4 for 47,

f. C. Clay 5 for Glamorgan: 140 and 48 for 8.

Durham drew with the New Zea-

Scores:-Durham: 145 (C. F. W. Allcot 7 for 50).

F. Y. Khoo and T. K. Lien N. Zealand: 216 for 6 (I. B. Cromb report a profit of £169 and a credit

Our Sports Diary.

- WATER POLO - To-morrow-

FOOTBALL - To-day-H.K.F.A.

LAWN TENNIS-To-morrow-"B" Division-South China A.A.

v. Army T.C.; M.B.K. v. Chinese R.C.; "C" Division-University v.

C.C. v. Kowloon C.C.; Craigen-

gower C.C. v. Recreio; Mixed

Doubles-Kowloon C.C. v. United Services R.C.; Recreio v. Ladies

Saturday—"B" Division—M.B.K. v. South China A.A.; "C" Division

-Army T.C. v. Civil Service C.C.; Kowloon C.C. v. Indian R.C.;

South China A.A. v. Y.M.C.A.;

LAWN BOWLS-Saturday-

Division I.—C.C.C. v. Taikoo; K.C.C. v. C.S.C.C.; Kowloon Dock v. Police; K.B.G.C. v. Recreio;

Division II. Taikoo v. C.C.C.;

C.S.C.C. v. K.C.C.; Recreio v. K.B.G.C.; Yacht Club v. Electric

ABROAD.

Northamptonshire v. Warwick-

Derbyshiro v. : Gloucestershire.

To-morrow, Thursday and Friday.

Derbyshire v. Northamptonshire.

Combined Services v. New Zea-

Worcestershire v. Middleser.

Hampshire v. New Zealand

Gloucester v. Yorkshire.

Derbyshire v. Middlesex.

Glamorgan v. Northamptonshire.

Worcestershire v. Hussey Leicestershire v. Warwickshire.

GOLD-To-day to Friday-Scot
in Amateur Championship at
restwick with the Principle of the Pr

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Saturday, Monday and Tuesday,

CRICKET-To-day-

Notts v. Yorkshire.

Surrey v. Lancashire.

Sussex v. Leicestershire.

Hampshire v. Somerset.

Warwickshire, v. Notts.

Hampshire v. Surrey.

Kent: v. Leicestershire.

Essex v. Somerset.

Surrey v. Kent.

Lancachire v. Notts.

Sussex.v. Somerset.

Glamorgan y. Yorkshire.

University v. Deutscher Club.

Service C.C.; Hong Kong

Division I.-V.R.C. v. Kowloon.

Council Meeting at 5.30 p.m.

Chinese B.C.

#### WATER POLO LEAGUE RESULT. Friday-Division I.-Navy v.

At the V.R.C. last night the League Table to Date.

P. W. L. D. F. A. Pts. Kowlcon ... 7 8 2 2 21 20 Chinese B.C. 7 2 4 1 6 20 Royal Navy . 7 2 5 0 7 84

Continued from Page 5.

Preference for Enjoyment. But, whether champions are to

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Only Two Standard Records to Get.

WORLD'S CHAMPION.

New York, July 15. Madison, of Seattle, to-day successfully defended her senior national A. A. U. women's outdoor swimming titles in th Kent has at last registered an- 100-metre and the mile free-style

She, however, failed to break her own world's records. Her time for the 100 metres, was one minute, 9.2 seconds, while that wickets for 102 runs, dismissed for the mile was 24 minutes and 45 seconds, which was more than 10 seconds slower than the re

In swimming the mile, however, she broke the four-yearold mark for the 1,500 metres by more than 27 seconds. She negotiated the distance in 23 The New Zealanders had to be minutes, 17-1/5 seconds, thus acham. During the match Cromb record out of the 16 recognized

She now holds all records except those for the 100 yards and Full results as cabled by Reuter | the 1,000 metres, both of which are held by Martha Norelius, whose 1,500-metre marks Helene broke to-night.—Associated Press.

#### BRITISH RUGBY TEAM TO GO ON TOUR.

League Players Bound for Australia.

£1,669 LOSS.

The annual statement of accounts of the Rugby League reveals a loss on the year's working of £1,669. The League, however, are in thoroughly healthy financial pesi tion, having at their disposal £17, 821. The Management Committee of the Northern Rugby League will

The Council of the Rugby League nave accepted an invitation from the Australian Board of Control to visit that country in 1932, and a touring party will in all probability leave England in April next:

KOWLOON LOSE.

China Athletic defeated Kowloon by five clear goals in the Senior Division of the Water Polo League.

which otherwise they apparently

be raised from tournament play or not, tournament play will still retain its attraction to the vast army of players, who look upon the game as an enjoyment and not as a business. For them, the two or three tournaments, which their ordinary work enables them to enter will still be the height of their Summer's enjoyment; and whether they win a few rounds or not they will still go hopefully on. Methods of & producing champions do not interest them in the least: for all they care all the best players in the country may be engaged in a continuous world tour that championproducing recipe which, up to the present has given no very startling results. Indifferent courts, handicap" balis, and foul weather never seem to check their ardour, and to deprive these people of their enjoyment by limiting the number of tournaments, or running them for crack players only, would merely result in a general loss of interest in the game. Lit should not be forgotten that in lawn tennis the thing that mainly concerns 99 per cent of players is their own game and their owit matches, and that the doings of the great ones, are only a wory secondary confideration and the secondary

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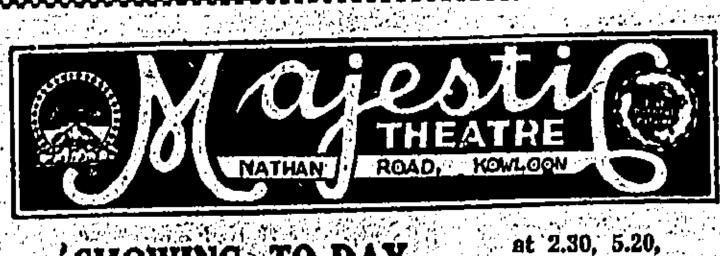
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### LA BARBA ON POINTS

CLARK'S DEFEAT ELKY

PUNCHED DRUNK BY HURRICANE OF BLOWS BUT NOT OUT.

#### WOULDN'T STAY DOWN

[By Elky Clark.]

In last night's issue we published from and down to the canvas, refore the fight for the world's fly- kopes to knock out the little Scots achieve my aim. weight championship between Elky boy he's have to punch him till La Barba, the American holder. just stay down." The life story of Elky Clark was enthusiast. .

"Seconds out of the ring." and I step forward. At a glance I see La Barba is a picture of ana- tric indicator. On it was the tomical beauty, the perfection of figure "9." physical fitness. He faces me with "What's the nine for Tommy?" punching me all over the place. the slightest suggestion of a smile, I queried. which, after a fleeting second, is coming up," he answered. displaced by an expression of grim determination. We take our

"Come on Scotland!" is the it."

deafening shout. For most of the first round we decided to make the fight, allowed in America. Mine had been saw nothing, There I made a mistake. I weaved in to Fidel instead of waiting of the fight. on him coming to me. He met me with a beautiful left hook to the

thing in sudden darkness. I knew the seriousness of the injury, that do me no harm. But I couldn't nothing about the fight till the the sight was gone. I thought I get the chance to do him any in a finish of the eighth round, and up must have got a punch in it dur serious kind of way. to that point I must take the word | ing one of the "missing" rounds. of others.

→ · Saved by the Bell. When La Barba sent me to the drunk. He must have punched me floor in the first session I appear sober again. I felt as fresh as ed to be out to the world. Just when I first took the ring: Goodas the referee spoke the count of ness knows what had happened. nine, however, the bell for the | hadn't had time to ask my seconds. end of the round rang out, and I There were only four more rounds to go. More than likely, I told

was dragged to my corner. second, and was punched all over on points. the ring. For four or five rounds | 'I made for my man, and after that I was knocked right and straight-lefted him. He right really a big bit groggy. When left, taking half a dozen counts of countered. There was not much we closed I knew I was with a man

six, seven, and eight. tion whatever. That left hook in condition. I pummelled at La They were maddening, but I could the first round caused concussion. Barba downstairs. and round after round I was living in another world so far as recollection is concerned.

It, was a punch, too, that has two punch to his face. resulted in my losing the sight of my right eye. When La Barba's glove landed the thumb part must have got into my eye and blinded | held my arms, and I couldn't get | rang with us both locked together.

No Idea of What Was Going On. | cleverly. Not even; the referee | could not have made up the leeway. During the time I was getting could spot the move. I threw him I must have lost the fight. this terrific hiding, I am told, the off, but he came back to close realised the world's title was not hall was in a ferment of excite- again. The round ended. I al- for me. ment. To everybody it was an most ran to my corner, amidst | What Might Have Been. amazing fight. They could not un- thunderous cheering from my coun- As I sat awaiting the inevitable derstand-how-I-could-take such a trymen. I wanted to know every verdict I thought of what might tanning and come back for more, thing. What had happened. How have been. Then the match be-No more can I to-day. I was I stood. If I was much behind on tween us was first mooted my punched drunk, silly, call it what points. you like. I had not the slightest | A few seconds' talk from Tommy twenty rounds fight. La Barba's idea of what was going on. I have Colquboun and Charlie Harvey, people wanted one of ten rounds. often tested my memory to see if and I realised everything. La The controlling body had stepped any incidents of these eight "miss- Barba must have been hitting me in and compromised with twelve. ing" rounds would come back. with everything but the pail. No But no. The time they occupied is wonder those on the other side of own heart that if the fight had a blank, and I suppose will be to the ropes were excited. For eight been over a longer distance the end of my days.

rounds they had seen an apparent-I was told that the broadcaster ly beaten man. Now they saw him at one stage, as I was bobbing up in recovery. Hardened as I am to

Back to Normal.

The bell rang for round ten.

Only Four More Rounds.

I shaped up. My head was

clear. La Barba had punched mo

Retaliation.

out. I must take every risk in the a bit strange to it. attempt. I feit fit again, fresher Fidel caught me round the again.

He was tired. Possibly through over there. published exclusively in the Even- Then came back my senses sud- punching me. I got inside again, ing News and provides most inter- dealy. I returned to normal so far and went for the body, then tried esting reading for the boxing as my mind was concerned. I was to short uppercut him. Again he A Fine Sportsman. sitting in my corner. 50 Tommy held. He wouldn't let my arms Colquhoun and Charlie Harvey work. I tried to throw him off. It I turn round. The gong crashes, were working feverishly on me. was of no use. Fidel La Barba Above the ring I noticed an elec- was too wise.

Clever Tactics. He had spent most of his energy had failed to keep me on the floor. "That's the number of the round! That fact alone must have sickened him a little. And now, here I was "Lor', this fight's fairly going as light as ever on my feet, as in. I remember nothing about strong as when I started. He was very clever. He could hold glove without causing the slightest "My gum-shield," I demanded, suspicion. I looked at the referee fiddled with one another, and then Then I remembered. They are not in protest. He waved me on. He

taken from me just before the start | I got away and danced in with a straight left. It landed flush. But again La Barba clinched and again I rose and walked to the centre it was a case of his hanging on. of the ring. My right eye blinked, was angry. I knew that the sting I sank to the floor with every- I rubbed it. I did not then realise was out of his glove, that he could

The Final Gong.

The eleventh round passed the same way. La Barba continually the defensive, falling into clinches when he could, making use of the ring before my attack, concentrating solely on the blocking of my punches never making a lead, only pretending to do so answered the call for the myself, I was a long way behind feinting, and then stepping back

out of the way. In the twelfth round he was sting in the blow. I closed for in- who was weak and wanting rest Of all that I have no recollec- side stuff. My arms were in grand But still he persisted in his tactics. not blame him. If he was clever He broke away and went on the enough to get away with it all good retreat. I followed him, shuffled luck to him. I chaffed him about into distance and planted a one- it. He just grunted in reply and went on holding. If he had stood up and fought, came to mix it' with La Barba was shaken by that me, I knew I had him. That he punch and fell into a clinch. He was very clever, and the final gong

my gloves free. He did it very I went to my corner. I knew I

party had asked for a fifteen

As I sat there I knew within my would have won. La Barba could never have stood up to it. I would have worn him down until he was meat for a finishing punch. My eye was twitching. I rubbed

it as I had been rubbing it every few seconds during the last three rounds. The crowd was a seething mass of excitement. Charlie and Tommy clapped my back.

Elky," said the American. Token of Victory. "The verdict can only go one be found at one of them, if there

"You're a great little fellow,"

WINS the fighting game, I could under- way," I answered, and there was and I realised that I was being acstand how they felt. Why, only regret in my voice, which was only claimed a good loser, but I felt very the other night I stood and ap- natural.

During that minute's rest I did victory,

some quick thinking. It was my | Fidel raced over to my corner. | had done so, although I had come usual habit to sum up a man be- I rose to meet him. I guessed the back, in that strange fight, fresh fore taking any libertles. Differ- | verdict before it came. I reckoned | and strong to get my victor weaker, ent here. I had been fighting him it was the only one. Yet, when it at the end, than I was. Indeed, as nearly half an hour and I had no was announced. I felt just a little I made my way along the excited idea what his tricks were. On sick. There was a lump in my avenue of fans. I hardly felt as points. I was hopelessly beaten. My throat. It was such a long time | if I had been in a fight. As I have only salvation was to knock him | since I had known defeat. I felt | said, La Barba not only knocked

the story of the preliminaries be- marked: "Say, folks, if La Barba than ever. I had the stamina to shoulder. There was no display of Worthy of A Return Fight, But— the bat was shaped and polished as ing accounts of games played by the conqueror in his make-up. The bell signalled the tenth There was no smile of triumph on Clark, the Scottish boxer, and Fidel two in the morning. Clark won't round. I went straight at his face. He was just a natural La Barba. I was quick to rumble. fellow, a regular guy, as they say

"I'm sorry, Elky, terribly sorry , for Mrs. Clark, he said.

Thanks, Fidel. You're a good 'un to lose to," I smiled back. I meant that. I never fought a bet- fight: ter sportsman. I'm glad it was a boy like La Barba from whom failed to take a title.

ropes. Immediately cheering broke ably. I thank the stars I did not out anew. Volume after volume of know that night what was coming principal mark of distinction.

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HARMFUL EFFECT.

No Champions Should

Indulge in them.

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One of our best young players,

out of his accumulated experience,

has recently stated in print that

there are too many tournaments;

harmful effect on the game of the

best players, because these players

are widely scattered over the coun-

try and reach the finals without any

effort. At the same time, to reach

those finals, he or she has neces-

sarily to eliminate players of in-

ferior class in the earlier rounds.

and this detracts from the stan-

dard of the better player's game,

and is not of the type that produces

and that their multiplicity has

hand it out to me. He certainly me stupid, but knocked me sane

slipped on my dressing gown. I I was, as I was to learn later, sat on the ground, and were dressit. as I made my way back to the to me. I don't think I could have dressing room. I had lost the fight, stood to listen to my doom.

sad. There was no bitterness in plauded a boy who looked out to . The master of ceremonies was in my sadness. I had been fairly and the world only to come back and the ring. The referee had deliver- squarely beaten. I was not, the chase his opponent from rope to ed his verdict. I blinked over, victim of a raw deal. I had been The M.C. walked to La Barba and treated sportingly all the time, and Danced in With a Straight Left. | lifted his right hand in token of had met a boy who was able to

-regret that I had not given my ed with any convenient stick. That country and my countrymen vic- was as early as the middle of the tory to cheer. Maybe, I thought, 13th century when cricket was playas I reached my dressing room, I ed by people of "the meaner sort" will be given another tilt at the in the open fields and street. "Nobletitle. Everybody then seemed to men and Gentlemen," we think I had put up a great show. told, then preferred tennis. Pre-Perhaps it would be considered pared pitches, but crude in the greatly impeding their progress, as worthy of my getting a return extreme compared with ours, came

A. W. Gore's game, or prevent him by the bat as the batsman made from becoming twice champion—a spirited effort to get it in first. feat which has never been perform- Introducing the Stumps.

These people are the backbone of game, altogether, is much faster then retired to.

ever yet decided to run level events | with the skill of Laurie Doherty? | of bowling was introduced, the modern "stars." the level singles are divided into don for their compeers. Our playtwo classes, in the first of which ers are too much obsessed with only those players are selected to copying the methods of foreign compete who have some preten- players: can they not strike out a sions to really first-class form. game of their own, even if it has to And even if there were many be attained through the despised fewer tournaments; than there method of playing against inferior actually are, is it to be supposed opponents? This would certainly that all the "good players" would lafford them opportunity of practice, (Continued on Page 4.)

Development of Skill.

found therein, not being the "type how it was then played. that produces champions," it may We are, however, helped a little not be out of place to point out that by a slightly later description of the all our British and Irish champions earliest wicket, which was simply a of the now distant past were hole made in the ground where tournament players, and that by the playing in bournaments which, if point to which he had to run to they did not receive so large an make a score was variously indicatentry as many modern tournal ed, its distance being arranged to ments do, were still fairly large accommodate the ability of the bats- novation did not take on, though meetings, they attained the skill man. which made them able to hold their | There being no wickets and bails own against all foreign invaders. such as are indispensable nowadays, From the Renshaws to A. W. Gore, the batsman, of course, could not be every one of them used the tourna- bowled out. Either he had to-be ment as a training-ground; and not caught out or run out, the latter only did they play in and win the meaning that one of the fielders had trains, passengers and vehicles level events, but they very frequent- to recover the ball and place it in from cricket balls in flight, and in ly played in handicaps also—a thing the hole before the batsman got days when the pitches were less anathema to the "good" player of back from his run, a run, apparent scientifically laid out, these Incidto-day, for the alleged reason that ly consisting of the double journey, giving points "spoils one's game." and it is easy to see that the fields-Winning handicap singles from man, in placing the ball in the hole; "owe 40" did not, at any rate, spoil must often have had his hand his

All this has been said many times | ed by any British player since his | It was these frequent accidents | basket of eggs on a woman's knee. before; but it loses sight, apparent- | day. Such exercises provided a that led to the idea of obviating while she was being driven in the ly intentionally, of one rather im- | solid basis on which to build a game | them by the introduction of a | farmer's milk-cart to the market, portant fact, remarks an Observer | which, for steadiness, and science, stump. The stump was a single | and, the farmer claiming damages, correspondent. And that fact is, was miles in front of the slap-dash, stick twelve inches high, and either the odd occurrence gave rise to cononly secondarily intended to "im- hit-or-miss methods employed by so the bowler or a fieldsman had to siderable legal dispute. A spectaprove the game" of the best play- many of our present day players. | knock it down before the batsman tor on one occasion had his pipe ers; the primary reason for the It will be said, and said with could be declared "bowled out." A thrust half-way down his throat by holding of tournaments is to give | truth, that foreign opposition in the second stump was added later, the a ball that went considerably beenjoyment to a very large number | present day is of an entirely dif- two standing twenty-four inches youd the boundary, and another of players not one of whom ever has ferent calibre from what it was apart, and later still, a piece of ball went in through an open bedthe remotest idea of becoming a | twenty years ago. The specialisa- wood was placed across the top. It | room window and after an amuschampion, but merely of spending a | tion of the Americans on service now became necessary only to discingly protracted search, was disweek getting some jolly games, and of the French on volleying has lodge this cross-piece to send the covered innocently reclining under

Not one big tournament even, has Smith? or plays the all-court game 18th century. When this latter style prowess and precision of

## EARLY

WHEN THE "WICKET" WAS A HOLE. CAUGHT OR RUN OUT.

Ladies & Gentlemen in Engaging Games.

AMUSING INCIDENT.

The word "cricket" is derived from the Angle-Saxon "crice." meaning a staff, and long beloff My sadness was born of regret we now know it, the game was playinto evidence about the year 1750, But Old Man Destiny must have and in 1784 we first read of the been laughing heartily at these players appearing in special garb, was ready to leave the ring. I leaving the ring for good. I was ed differently from the teams, stretched out a hand to clutch the finished, completely and irretriev- though wearing their jackets or No Wickets or Bails.

A manuscript drawing of the 13th century represents a lady throwing a ball to a man, who has a bat of sorts in his hand, raised ready to strike, and in the year 1350 the famous John Parish. were a couple of others in the Guildford, records having set apart same week? I rather think not. a plot of ground for the playing of cricket. With these brief allu-As to playing in ordinary tourna- sions to the origins of the game, ments, with the type of tennis to be the imagination is left to figure out

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pioneers being the celebrated David Harris and his famous Hambledon men, a third stump was introduced to suit the innovation. In 1796 the height of the stumps was increased to 14 inches and then in 1817 the present dimension of the wicket was universally agreed upon. The distance of 22 yards between wickets has, however, remained unaltered for nearly 800 years. - A Match in 1779.

When cricket came thus gradually into favour, the nobility began to take it up, and we have some engaggreat ladies and gentlemen towards the end of the 18th century. Thus in a match at Sevenoaks in 1779 we read that the Countess of Derby and other society women of similar rank played in the immense trailing skirts and elaborate head-gear of the period, the former, we are told. indeed can well be imagined, and the latter giving them no end of trouble as they stooped to pick up the ball. One noble lady in anailed to take a title.

I turned to my seconds. They ring at Madison Gardens that night sleeves. The umpires at this time entangled in her voluminous silks that she fell heavily, and immediately, the pitch was thronged with stately sires who, leaving their coats, unlike the players, was their | seats as if on the crack of a gun. rushed apprehensively to her assistance. However, nothing worse had befallen her than the breaking of a shoe buckle.

The gentlemen played in their tall flats, but they now took the game, seriously all the same, as may be seen from the fact that it was Sir Horace Mann, the Duke of Dorset, Lord Tankerville and Sir William Draper who were chiefly concerned in drawing up the rules of cricket at the Star and Garter, in Pall Mall, in 1770. These men not only played cricket, but each patronized his favourite cleven, the Duke of Dorset, for instance, being president of the Surrey club, and Lord Tankerville president of the Hants. Sir Horace Mann and some friends once played a game on ponies, but the insomething like it survives in our modern polo.

Amusing Incidents.

As far back as 1800 complaints were made in the law courts about annoyance and danger to pedescnts were sometimes very amusing. For instance a ball once landed in a moving railway truck, and was eventually: recovered by "a goods porter nearly 200 miles from the spot where the batsman had hit it. Another ball fell plump into a with the outside chance of winning | brought them well to the front; and bastman to the pavilion, or what | the bed. So if cricket was less a small prize in a handicap event. It is often said that the modern ever queer substitute the fallen interesting to watch in those old days, it had its compensations in tournaments, without them not ten | than the game of twenty years; The bowling was all of the other ways, and perhaps our fortournaments out of the two hun- that speed, indeed, is its essence. order that we now call "sneaks," bears enjoyed the frequent undred or so that figure in the sea- But who, to-day, drives harder the pitching of length-balls being scientific incidentals every bit as son's programme could exist at all. than, or even as hard as, S. H. unknown before the middle of the much as we enjoy the scientific



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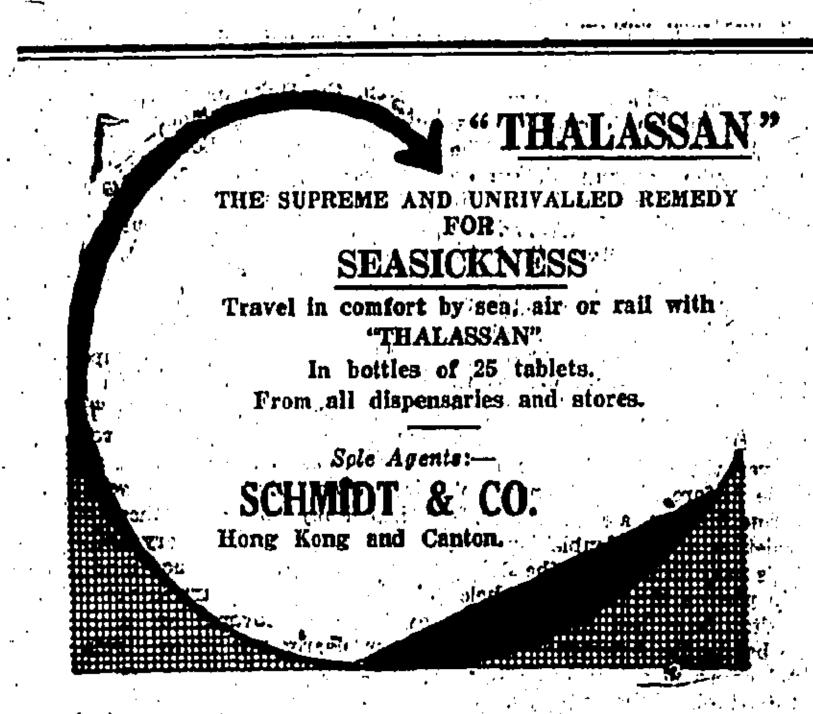
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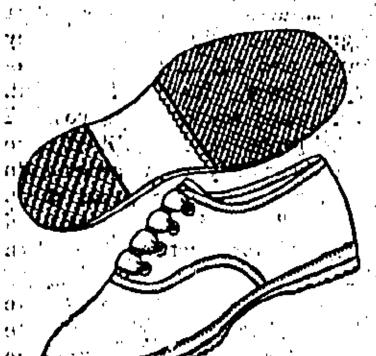
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table a question for the Legisla-

tive Council. And the genera

stills stands for the Officials and

Unofficials to meet at an inform-

ject; of bathing facilities in an

effort to clear up the present un-

News in Brief.

Chu Hing (44), employed as

received multiple abrasions when

Cinema patrons... are reminde

that to-day sees the final screening

Chatterton) at the King's Theatre:

The Assistant Commissioner of

A man named Au Cheuk (18)

ed down by a China Motor Bus in

he fell from a height of 25 feet off

a wooden staging.

fortunate difference of opinion;

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#### Provocative Policy.

There is seemingly to be no end to the controversy this Summer over bathing facilities, but it is to be regretted that so far the Government has not made out a carpenter in the Naval Dockyard, prima facie case either as regards Tai Wan or Island Bay. It is getting into the habit of dictating to its "obedient servants." the public, without ever dreaming of coming forward with any explanation of a reasonable The entertainment as a whole, is of nature for its actions. This kind a very high, class. of attitude is not exactly the best to retain the confidence of the community. We expect better has the honour to acknowledge Friday. All members of the Chinthe community. Any suspicion a donation of \$50 to Brigade of the "high horse" policy can so Governor. easily create discontent and is strongly to be deprecated in the interests both of the governors and the governed. What is the Nathan Road at the junction of Soy use of eternally preaching concord Street, and received serious and co-operation when the very juries to his body. He is now a opposite elements are being patient in the Kowloon Hospital. Where is the happy family style jacket, the property of Mr spirit that should be strongly in S. M. Moosa, of 18, Parkes Street, evidence in every Crown Colony? a Chinese, who had a record three previous convictions, It is most regrettable from all sentenced to three months impriangles that the policy of the somment at the Kowloon Police Government in regard to bath Court to-day. ing facilities should be so provo- The inquiry into the circum cative of resentment on the part stances of the death of Lam Yu-yul not too late to have the existing the Central Magistracy before Mr. ifferences composed by say all E.H. Williams and Coroner and informal conference between the pury: The jurys verdict was the

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Accidentally falling into a pot of boiling jelly, which had been left outside the kitchen of 18 Second Street yesterday, a girl, Li Leeping, aged four years, was severely scalded. She was taken to the Government Civil Hospital but died at 7.80 p.m.

three hours and a half later.

Knocked down by a moving

tramcar in Des. Vœux Road, near

its intersection with Morrison

Street, Lo Sze-mui (26), a woman,

Annam on July 19 last, a female, conduct in a professional respect, Chan Man-chuen (18) attempted in that, being a registered medical to commit suicide yesterday, by practitioner, he sought to attract to vicinity absolutely swarmed with. jumping into the harbour from the himself patients and promote his these people, who had probably Man Kuen, which was en route own professional advantage by ad- come down from the country. from Hunghom to Hong Kong, vertisement and canvassing through They erected matsheds, and in-Tam Chue, a cook on the vessel, articles in a newspaper relating to dulged in pig, breeding or any rescued the woman, who was later an alleged cure for tuberculosis other occupation. It was most obtaken to the Government Civil known as the "Newell treatment." Jectionable. Hospital.

junk moored in Shaukiwan Har direct result of the articles; and pleaded that they could not breed. bour, in a report to the Police with seeking to induce registered pigs—in the New Territories bestated that a foki who, seven medical practitioners to use a cause of the lack of pigwash. months ago, overdrew his wages to medicament of whose properties the amount of \$41, was seen to row such practitioners were not inform order for removal was being aska sampan in the harbour yesterday afternoon. Chan beckoned to the man, who came alongside his junk, but, after offering to return to work, jumped into the water and was not seen again.

#### POLICE RESERVE.

Orders for the Current Week.

INSPECTION WORK.

Government is blamed .for not Orders by the Hon. Mr. E. D. C. putting all its cards on the table Wolfe, C.M.G., Inspector-General and thus providing its bona fides, of Police, are as under:-

General. Revolver Practice.—The regular weekly revolver practice will take place at the Bowen Road Revolver on idle conjecture. On first Range to-morrow at 5 p.m. It will

sight the closing of Island Bay to be open to all members of the Inlaunch picnics may seem a very dian Company, Hong Kong Police trivial matter, savouring too Training Course-Part II. much of the parish pump type of The weekly classes for Police topic to warrant any outcry, but, Reservists, at the Chinese Comcoming so soon after the decision pany's Headquarters, 17, Queen's clinic for the administration of the

Road Central will be held as usual in regard to Tai Wan beach, the to-day at 5.30 p.m. All members community is entitled to have be of the Chinese Company and of the fore it the whole facts governing Flying Squad who have not pass the new policy of the authorities, ed Part II, of Training School Course should attend. Thus far the Press tables in the Chinese Company. various Departments are barren.

Training Courses-Part II-The No Unofficial has yet saw fit to following members have been passed out as efficient in Part II. of Training Course (knowledge of Police Duties and Regulations) :-community is left guessing—and Constables R53 Hon Ya-lam and aggrieved. Hence our suggestion R55.T. C., Woo.

Training Courses-Part III.-The following members have been passed out as efficient in Part III al conference on the whole sub- of Training Course; (Revolver and Rifle Courses) :- Constables R8 Lai Iu-kwong and R30 Thong Po-hing. Inspection: Parade.—All ; ranks

parade at Central Police Station

to-morrow for a general inspection of Equipment, etc., by the Company Commander. Fall in at 5.30 p.m. sharp under P/Sgt. R. J. Hunt Dress-White uniform, cap with white cover; belt (without frog) truncheon, whistle, armiet an badge, "Pocket Policeman" and note-book to be carried. Those not in possession of uniform will at tend in mufti. No member may of "Unfaithful" (with Ruth be absent from this parade with. out leave from the Company Commander. The Equipment Officer will make it a point of being pre-

Revolver Practice - Revolver Practice will be carried out on the the St. John Ambulance Brigada Bowen Road Revolver Range on rese Company who have not passed Part 111 this year should attend without fail.

Indian Company. Leave Constable R222 Hardit Singh returned from leave on July

of 301 Portland Street, was knock-Revolver Practice. - Revolver practice will be carried out on the Bowen Road Revolver Range on Wednesday. All members of the Indian Company who have not passed Part III of Training Course this year should attend without fail: Flying Squad.

> Revolver Practice Revolver Practice will be carried out on the Bowen Road Revolver Range on The weekly instructional patrol found that he was dead: "!

ARTICLES IN THE NEWSPAPERS.

was taken to the Government Civil Doctor Faces Medical Hospital yesterday but succumbed Council.

TUBERCULOSIS TREATMENT:

An important point of medical eliquette came before the General

of Fetterlane, E.C., appeared before Chung. Stated to have arrived from the council accused of "infamous"

Chan Ngan, master of a fishing knowledge, had come to him as the posed on each of the women, who

The charges were brought by the Medical Defence Union, represented by Mr. Oswald Hempson, solicitor. Dr. Hocken, who appeared, and was represented by Mr. H. Beaver, solicitor, denied the charge.

Injunction Applied For. Sir Donald Macalister, president the matsheds. of the council, was in the chair. Mr. Beaver said that an injunction was applied for at the High hours, and warned the defendants Court restraining the Council from that they were not allowed to junction was not granted, but as the vicinity.

issue was still before the court he

asked that the case should not be dealt with now.

Mr. Beaver continued: "I say in the interests of fairness to a member of the medical profession that it would be a great injustice if the Council came to a decision now which was subsequently annulled."

Sir Donald: The inquiry will

Mr. Hempson, opening the case for the Medical Defence Union, read articles which had appeared in the newspaper, referring to the "hush hush policy of the Council" in regard to the treatment, and suggesting a fund to found and finance, a

Commenting on an article which stated that the treatment had not been advertised. Mr. Hempson said; "These articles are the most valuable advertisement any remedy of this sort could possibly obtain."

"LIFT" ON LORRY. Passengers Jump Off in a Hurry.

ner dangerous to the public. pleaded guilty. of the Chinese Company will'

Traffic Sergeant P. O. Guild said hat - defendant ... was - offered cents, by two Chinese, for "a, lift". to the city, from Shaukiwan disrict. When in Yee Woo Street, the defendant, on looking behind, noticed, a Police officer, in uniform on a motor cycle following. Defendant, becoming scared, told his passengers to jump off, which they did. One injured his head and had to stay in hospital for two days. Fines totalling \$20 were impos-

WARSHIPS IN PORT.

The following British warships were in harbour to-day:---Bridgewater-North arm. Caradoc-West wall dock. Moorhen-In dock. Odin-East wall Otus-East wall. Sepoy-South wall.

Stormcloud-South wall, Tamar-Basin. Foreign Adamastor-Portuguese cruiser. Argus—French gunboat. Mindanao American gunboat

Seraph-North arm.

Serapis-North arm.

Regulus-French sloop.

### MOST OBJECTIONABLE STRUCTURES.

Squatter's Nuisance in Wong-Nei-Chong.

ORDER FOR REMOVAL." An elderly man and three women appeared before Mr. W. Schofield Medical Council when they met in this morning, in the Central Police Court, charged with having creet-Dr. Herbert Castlemain Hocken ed illegal structures in Wong Noi

> They all pleaded guilty. Mr. R. E. Stott, of the Public Works Department, stated that the

He was also accused of accepting His Worship bound the man persons as patients who, to his over, whilst a fine of \$10 was im-

His Worship inquired if an

Mr. Stott replied that the Government had no money to spare for that purpose, but he would ask for the structures to be demolished. It cost the Government a lot of money each time they engaged coolies to remove

His Worship ordered the structure to be taken down in 48 dealing with the case. The in- erect any other matsheds in the

> "SOFT SORT OF CREATURE."

Turned Down Marriage Offer.

STOLE \$12 AND A CHAIN.

Charged with the theft of \$12 and " silver chain the property of a boat man, a Chinese woman pleaded guilty before Mr. Schofield in the Central Police Court this morning.

Acting Sub-Inspector R. Cunningham said that the woman was engaged by complainant's motherin-law to work as cook on a junk in Aberdeen: After four days the man requested the accused to marry him, and gave hid deceased's wife's clothing to her as a gift, but she refused his hand in marriage. Early yesterday she prepared to oscape, and, having no money but knowing where complainant kept his money, went to the middle hold and took \$12 and silver chain from a box. She went up on deck and hailed a passing sampan.' In the meantime the complainant and his was summoned before Mr. W. mother-in-law woke up and ac-Schoffeld this morning, for having cused, was caught as she was taken passengers on the vehicle, about to leave. "She is a soft and with having driven in a man- sort of creature," added the pro-

> The Magistrate bound her over to be of good behaviour for a year. He directed that, as she did not want to return to the junk, she should be taken to the

का <del>प्रान्त स्वाह्मका न</del>्यां EUROPEAN DRIVER'S BREACH.

Mr. G. Fournier was fined \$10. by Mr. W. Schofield in the Central Police Court this morning fora breach of the Traffic Regulation.. Traffic Sorgeant B. G. Baker said that Mr. Fournier drove his motors cycle past three cars in Queen's: Road Central on the right hand side, instead of the left. It was five o'clock in the afternoon, and the road was crowded with workers from the Naval Dockyard.

Ten Years Ago.

IFrom the "China Mail" of

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Hong Kong Chinese are seeking: permission for a big mass meeting. (which may take place on Sunday) at which they may express their disapproval of the extravagant. things being published at Home in the Press and Parliament about An elderly man had just fin shed, the Mui. Tsai custom. They feel Thursday, All omembers of the planting three geraniums on the that the agitators have added far Flying Squad, Hong Kong and grave of a child in Slough Church too much colour to their representa-Kowloon Sections who have not pass- yard when he was seen to collapse. Itlons, and that the Hong Kong led Part III of Training Course this | One of the men employed in the Chinese as a community are being churchyard went to his aid and maligned. At present no venue has been chosen, for the meeting, July 5 was concluded yesterday at of the Hong Rodg Baction will take The grave was that of a child but an announcement may be

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## MIGRATION AND HOMING OF BIRDS

#### A MYSTERIOUS POWER THAT BAFFLES MAN.

by trained homer pigeons, and the travel, like that, for instance, of much greater distances covered by the lapwing ringed in Cumberland derful though they are when we land, as recorded first in the Manconsider all facts, are more or less chester Guardian in January, 1928. Year after year at holiday travel man, to his wife were "very, very, The largest ordinary hippo that however (writes T. A. C. in the new of some 2,200 miles was, it was Manchester Guardian) through a estimated, accomplished in 22 to 24 ing to bring over their dogs write, before a crowd of several thousand him up. Jimmy can only be about different from either; something According to the late W. W. Cook, which will show them how deten of a 300-mile-an-hour dive. which will surprise them in Buda- the American golden plover regular- tion for six months can be avoided. Holman was the first American extremely interesting. pest, although the Hungarian Gov- ly covers 2,000 miles in a non-stop People over here write in similar airman, both as a mail 'plane pilot, Next Spring this young man's bird migration is one of the most journey, and the Pacific form of the active in Europe.

in the Zala district of South- taken more overland. western Hungary, and on their legs | Whatever explanation is sugges curiously erected wing plumes when Apparently they were deliberat bird for ornamental waters; indeed, given to racing pigeons. Aldrovandi tells that Japanese envoys brought it to Italy, in the Hungary, probably in closed crates, sixteenth century.

Royal Rings. ducks were obtained from Hungary, Hungary, and got there. Where and by the special request of the they had been exported from I do King they were provided with the not know, but they were shot near ordinary numbered and addressed the south-eastern end of the great metal rings which are used for Lake Balaton, for which they may marking migratory birds, under the have been aiming by some unex-"British Birds" marking scheme. | plained sense of orientation.

These rings, in addition to having stamped on them "Witherby High Holborn, London," and their regis- ance of these two birds something tered number, had the initials that points to a knowledge of direc-"G. R." added; the birds were tion, a consciously desired direcringed on January 20, 1930. The tion, a goal aimed for; surely it two birds shot at Zala carried these strong evidence of a nower royal rings.

we know neither which way the way on migration journeys. birds travelled nor how long they

chora, North-eats Russia. Two of their home and over seas with is still a danger to the community. If further demonstration is rebrood were killed in the Autumn of normal range of the birds. great distance from where they one experiment thirteen out of diminished. were turned down.

north of the Caspian, in April 1918: I stinct stimulated the sense. In both cases the distances covered must have been double that from London to Hungary.

Northwich to Natal.

pared with the travels of some of their feet, having walked home. our common swallows, for no fewer | And there is an actual case of amthan nine ringed birds have been bulatory or htation or homing by be detained and isolated at, the discovered in their Winter quarters [a drake, recorded from his own in South Africa. The eighth bird experience by John Buroughs. is particularly interesting to Manchester readers for it was ringed as from one farm to another over two as a nestling by Mr. A. W. Boyd | miles of country which it had never at Frandley, near Northwich, on seen, but immediately it was re-June 13, 1927, and the bird was leased it turned its head homefound dead in Natal on January 3, wards, refused to have anything 1929. Another was marked in do with the other ducks, and for Carmarthenshire in July, 1927, and three days tried to get out of the was found exhausted at Cradock, enclosure in which it had been con Cape Province, on January 28, fined. At the end of that time

probable that both birds went and followed. south, perhaps as far as the Cape, in the Autumn of 1927, returned in was scared by a dog and made a Spring of 1928, and again visited detour and once it took a wrong Africa. At any rate, we do know turning, though in the right directhat some of our swallows get very tion. When at last, it came to a far south and return again to the road on which it had a rambled locality in which they were reared, raced home. so that they can manage very long. flights without being troubled by darin ducks made on their crossany handicap from the ring.

Nor are these known journeys to but we have the fact that a be compared with those of some of | domesticated or semi-domesticated the Arctic waders, whose Winter epecies was brought from Hungary quarters are, at the southern ex- to London and found the way back tremity of land in Africa, South without assistance from railway America, and Australia. We can guides or Cook." judge only by the fact of the presence of the birds in these southern direction guided the birds. Were to nest in the extreme north. some sense, receiving some guiding Muzzling was enforced throughout less hardship for both dog and All the passages mentioned are impressing about which we have as

#### CLARA BOW

#### Likely to Abandon Film Career.

Clara, Bow, the red-haired film star now in a California sanatorium, in expected shortly to and

The long journeys accomplished necessitate long continued oversea wild birds when on migration, won- which was recovered in Newfound-

Two mandarin ducks were shot Hawaii. The return migration is

were numbered rings that proved ed these long flights of migratory that they had flown from St. James' | wild birds, whether they travel by Park. Now the mandarin duck is inherited instinct, find their way by native neither here nor in Hungary; sight or other sense, or are unconits original home is in the Far East | sciously drifted, like the lapwings -China and Japan. The beauty of which crossed the Atlantic, eve can its plumage, especially of the extra- not explain the behaviour of the ordinary chestnut and black "fan," mandarin ducks in the same way. the wings are closed, has made it homers, though they had had no for very many years a favourite preliminary training similar to that

They had been brought from but certainly not by any means which would allow them to see their Early in 1930 some mandarin way; they had an urge to return to

Sense of Direction. Indeed, we have in the performorientation. This faculty some The flight may seem a long one, us feel sure exists in wild birds. probably little under 900 miles, but and explains how they find their toms, Great Britain aims to pre. from the caterpillar vehicles which

Experiments with homer pigeons pearing. took over their journey. As a have never proved conclusively that matter of fact it is not a specially such power exists, but the carefully Fifty years ago rabies was in ciling British dog fanciers to the a way of her own. If she sets her long trip for ringed birds, even for arranged investigations of Watson the accepted order of things in restrictions' which hitherto had and Lashley in America produced most European countries. The been thought irksome, unwarranted In September, 1920, a widgeon unexpected results. They marked disease was generally prevalent on and in the nature of grandmotherly right enough. And no leaving out was marked, a bird reared from noddy and sooty terns during their the increase. In Britain the legislation. eggs collected in Cumberland, and breeding season, which they cap public became alarmed by the fre-May, 1926, it was shot on the Pet- cases for as far as 850 miles north But a rabid dog, even muzzled, involved in cure.

Another widgeon, marked when be little doubt that these terns ter experience, and in 1897 the dogs in quarantine. mature at Tamworth in possessed a sense of direction, and Board of Agriculture brought in It only required one of these

The Lane the Drake Knew. There are jokes amongst pigeon foreign country would be permitted women's lap-dogs. flyers about birds that failed to to land, "unless its landing is

The drake was carried in a bag the control, of a veterinary surgeon ing law is in the direction of Burroughs determined to see what Although we cannot be sure, it is it would do, let it have freedom,

Once on its way homewards it

How many mistakes the man-European journey we do not know,

more or less overland, and do not yet no knowledge?

Mr. B. P. Schulberg, director productions, to Paramount, who discovered Clara Bow, stated that the company was debating whether Ministry of Agriculture investigatively places no restriction on to release her from her contract which ends this Autumn, She is which ends this Autumn. "She is 319 of which were actually rables, sary for the dog to serve the syhole very III," he said, "and anxious to The seriousness of the outbreak of its detention in one station. end her career. I doubt whether she will ever make another pic-

publicity, was reopardising her ress.

Position a Site collapsed attacking the Reconciled To Restrictions by two bull where conditions to that or embezziement soft her That experience emphasised the large hypersulfactions are: east of mistortunes has crusted former pascretary. Mistor Dally necessity for maintaining the respect to the control of the The state of the s

### QUARANTINE LAWS AT HOME.

Reasons Why they Must Stand.

WOULD-BE INVASIONS.

Anti-quarantine correspondence The last words of "Speed" time it is the same.

something be done about it.

Such requests must necessarily Mystery surrounds his death, his greatest adventure.

be in vain. The six months quar. Some of the spectators who were Three years ago, only, somebody or of exalted station.

introduced for a definite purpose held. and out of necessity proved in the last century, and without doubt HOW THE TANKS WERE NAMED. they have achieved it:

this has been at the inconvenience they came to be constructed, was of thousands of people, it is a mat- told to the Southampton Round ter for satisfaction from the point Table by Sir William Tritton, one of view of the nation as a nation of the engineers responsible for

origin always in a dog. months' detention, keeping them use in the war. for that time under strict veterin- "Far from that being the case,

ary supervision, and regularly we made 2,700 at Lincoln. The examining them for rables symp. idea for their construction came vent the disease from again ap had been built for sugar growing in

Muzzling Orders.

period of six calendar months. . . . for enforced detention. expense of its owner upon pre-

ter for that purpose." months three-fifths of - the local than three and a half months. local muzzling orders.

was unknown until near the close station.

chums of the trenches.

A Smuggled Dog.

Vigorous steps were necessary. Actually quarantine imposes far the affected areas, and movement owner than is generally aupposed of dogs from one place to another There are about forty different permitted only under licence of stations in Great Britain, any one the Ministry of Agriculture of which may be selected for the It took four years to make reception of the dog on arrival. Britain free of rables once more ..... Owners Visits in that periodothe officials of the The blinistry of Agriculture it

#### AIRMAN'S FATAL CRASH.

"Very, Very Careful."

is, just at present, at full flood. Holman, a famous American air more than £1 a pound. very careful."

begging for "inside information" people when he failed to come out a quarter that size.

strain on behalf of friends abroad, and as a stunt pilot. He startled fancy will lightly turn-to thoughts according to their mood, plaintive on its back. Previously he had bachelor. or indignant letters, urging that made 1,433 consecutive loops in an- Jimmy has had an adventurous other type of machine,

The quarantine regulations were the machine. An inquiry is being door neighbour.

-If-it-is a matter for regret that How tanks were named, and how their development.

Great Britain is to-day one of "When I sent out the drawings the few countries of the world in to the machine shop," he said, "I which the canine disease of rabies marked the plans Water Carrier is non-existent. As is generally for Mesopotamia, and the man on known, while rabies is infectious the job abbreviated that to 'tank.' and can be communicated to most I built the first tank at my own animals, and to man, it has its expense, but the War Office was not enthusiastic. They told me I was By subjecting all dogs entering silly, and, in any event, they could the country from abroad to six not be built in time to be of any

Paraguay and other countries."

Dog owners were - not long was turned down with one wing tured at the nests on the Tortugas quency and severity of outbreaks, realising that in the matter of clipped to keep it near at hand until of Gulf of Mexico keys. Some of and in 1886 the first anti-rables rabies the irksomeness of prevenits new flight feathers grew. In these birds were taken in closed to institute local muzzling orders, tion was as nothing to the trouble

others of the same hand-reared out landmarks that were beyond the He may not be able to bite, but quired of the wisdom of quarantine in his saliva is the source of evil, restrictions, it is to be found in 1921 on Rockeliffe Marsh, at no | The majority returned home-in and the chance of infection is little the fact that during the past nine years seven cases of rabies have fifteen birds released. There can We discovered this through bit- been discovered among imported DANCE OF THE SEVEN

October, 1915, reached Uralsk, that the maternal or parental in- its "Importation of Dogs" Order. dogs to have its freedom to infact This provided that no dog a whole countryside. At least brought to Great Britain from any two of these cases were wealthy

A dog infected with the germ of accomplish the return on the wing authorised by a licence of the rabies may not show symptoms of These are but short trips com- but arrived at last with "segs" on Minister previously obtained." the disease for six months; hence When landed it should, "for a the fixing of that period of time

Essential Unwisdom. Probably the most frequently mises in the occupation or under suggested modification of the existwhich shall have been previously reduction to three months. The approved in writing by the Minis- essential unwisdom of this is indicated by the fact that in the In the same year, 1897, a rables seven discovered cases referred to order was made, and within a few none had been in quarantine less

authorities, of England and Wales ... In one instance, a dog, detained had adopted powers to enforce on suspicion longer than the allotted time, was definitely verified By 1902 rables in this country as rabid six and a half months had been entirely eradicated, and after admission to the quarantine

It has to be remembered that six Not a few dogs at that time were months is a minimum period, subsmuggled into the country with ject to extension by the Ministry the object of "dodging" quarantine. of Agriculture in certain; circum-Soldiers on leave were not at a stances. Last year a passenger on oss to find ways and means of board a vessel en route to Plygetting through" with their doggy mouth from India was bitten by a dog, which was destroyed as a

rables\_suspect. In September, 1918, rabies broke Subsequent laboratory examinaout at Plymouth almost certainly tion of the carcase confirmed the introduced by a smuggled dog presence of the disease, and in Within a short period many parts view of its long incubation period of the south-west were involved -, six other dogs travelling by the Devon. Cornwall, Hampshire and same boat and possibly exposed to di with scarlet flowers. Some instinct, some sense of Dorset, and even as far away as infection had to undergo a nine months quarantine.

ed 908 alleged cases of the disease, owners visite, and it, is not neceswas intensified by the fact that Licence can be obtained for it to 286 people were hitten by rabid be moved if its owner finds himself dogs, and the Ministry of Health | Fring in a different area, and Miss Bow has been warned found it necessary to set up Pas what is of supreme importance several times that untayourable teur treatment centres to various authoval of a veterinary establish

### JIMMY LOOKS FOR A BRIDE.

Words to Wife: She Has Already Chosen

Pigmy Jimmy at the Zoo is worth

came to Regent's Park weighed Intending overseas visitors want. Two hours later he had crashed four tons when the Zoo had fattened

He is worth £2,000, and is getting

Those who already recognise the the aviation world in 1919 by loop of love, and already an eye is besame bird 2,400 between Alaska and hopelessness of seeking remission ing a three-engined passenger aero ing kept open for a coy young of the quarantine regulations send, plane five times, and then flying it thing to be introduced to the gay

life, but matrimony is going to be

antine imposed on all imported within a few feet of him when he walking by the side of a Liberian dogs is strict, and is not to be crashed, said that he was hanging river discovred a baby hippo whose evaded even by those in authority out of the cockpit, and appeared to ma had just gone round the corner be striving to reach the control of or was gossipping with her next-

and when he suddenly found himself carried off bodily and dumped down on the deck of a ship he took it quite philosophically. It was

London Zoological Society by the woman who owned him, and although on offer of £1,500 was proffered on the way home she stuck to her free gift idea.

aspirants: Jean, Diana, and May But May is hardly a flapper, Jean -I do not think somehow it will be Jean. She is too much wrapped up in Percy II.

Zoo in 1913, and goodness knows what her age may be. Something over twenty, say, at least. A dear pigmy, old compared with Jimmy. When Diana gets offended she has mind on this youthful Liberian

Adonis the old thing will have him' the word "obey" at the altar for him. He says that Diana's been married before. "It's the fashion nowadays," she

says, "for some of us older girls to have the pick of the boys. And Jimmy for me."

Daily Express. The paradoxical thing about the production at the Gate Theatre, however, is that the actress who plays the part of the corrupt young princess, and dances the dance of seduction unveiled before Herod. is the twenty-four-year-old daughter of a clergyman, and has not long

Margaret Rawlings, black-haired and white skinned, made the Yau dience gasp when she first appeared behind the seven veils. The veils in this production are not draped round the dancer, but are hung across the stage, and withdrawn one. by one to discover the rhythmicallymoving limbs of Salome, dressed in little more than a handful of pearls: She dances with an increasing wildness to obtain the head of John the Baptist; until the last veil is torn aside, and she sinks triumphantly exhausted, to be covered by slaves with a white shift and crown-

"Some people are always going to be shocked by this dance," said Miss Rawlings, because they rather miss the point of it. My own feeling about it is this: that while nakedness for the sake of it is bad; art for the stage, and dreadfully dull, the nakedness of Salome is full of meaning, and of great importance to the part

Lienjoy doing it becaust although I have never danced before. the dance completes my idea of Salome and the music which has been written for it a find tremendously instring

to Oxford and fulckly came down again hto marry a fellow-under graduate and go, on the stape. Har husband als hower delistadi

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Jimmy was only three days old. part of this new experience-

He was forthwith offered to the

But about Jimmy's wife-to-be.

. A Way of Her Own.

Diana is left. Diana was in the

Jimmy Pigmy is going to be a quiet home lad before very long.

Clergyman's Daughter in "Salome."

Oscar Wilde's banned "Salome" still raises little eddies of scandal. ised comment whenever it is performed, for the public finds it difficult not to be shocked by the Dance of the Seven Veils, says the London

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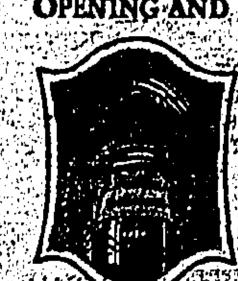
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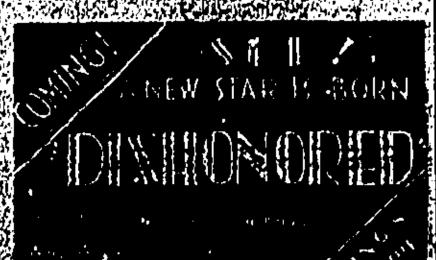
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. RAINY AND STORMY.

come down in the sea between thereby of eventually reducing the Bournemouth and Swanage one time of the journey now requiring day last month, but no trace at least six days; to forty hours. of it has been found, although immediately it was reported search was made by Commander Euman. the harbour master at Poole.

"I was rung up," said Com-Euman, people at Branksome Chine, who Saturday of the monument to Pretold me they had seen a small two- sident Wilson, presented to the city seater acroplane in difficulties over by the illustrious pianist and formthe bay. They said they had seen er President of the Polish Republic, her come down, wing first, into the M. Paderewski, is to be attended by minutes per hour for sleep and sea about six miles off, and that she Mrs. Wilson and several prominent food. The men are dancing in had not been seen again. They American politicians, but will lose had been looking at her through much of its importance for Poland

speed-boat and searched round the his wife in Switzerland. spot indicated, but could find no trace of the aeroplane or its occupants. There was a heavy sea, and it was rainy and stormy, so I went eastwards to see if she might have drifted in that direction.

"I searched round for several miles off Boscombe and Southbourne, and again went back to near the spot where the aeroplane was stated to have come down, but could find nothing."

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THURSDAY, JULY 128.

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It is stated that the question is being seriously considered operating "Zeppelins on rails" on the trans-Siberian line from Mos-An aeroplane is believed to have cow to Vladivostok, in the hope

#### EX-PRESIDENT WILSON.

Warsaw, July 2. The ceremony of unveiling on owing to the enforced absence of M.

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HONG KONG FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION. MEMBERSHIP.

ALUB SECRETARIES are reminded that Applications for MEMBERSHIP to the ASSOCIA-TION and Entries for the LEAGUE COMPETITIONS close on August

W. E. HOLLANDS, Hon. Secretary. Hong Kong, 18th July, 1931.

#### **ENDURANCE** STILL LASTS.

Dancing Pairs on Floor for 426 Hours.

15 MINUTES CONCESSION.

Paris, July 6. "On with the dance" is still the motto of the Cirque, where six couples are still holding out in ar endurance dancing championship, which has now been going on for over 426 hours. The dancers are allowed a maximum of fifteer shirt sleeves and the women wear ing tennis socks to protect their feet, though this seems hardl "I immediately went out in a Paderewski through the illness of necessary as their soles by now are thoroughly hardened.

The dancers eat well and turn i to rest at intervals. Three of the men have been sleeping on th dance floor in full view of th public and the survivors.

#### THORBURN CASE.

Shanghai, Yesterday. The British Women's Associ tion has cabled to Sir Miles Lam son and to Mr. Ramsay Ma Donald, pressing for immediat action in the Thorburn case.-Reuter.

### **CROSS-WORD**

(This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spellings, such as harbor, plow, and altho.)

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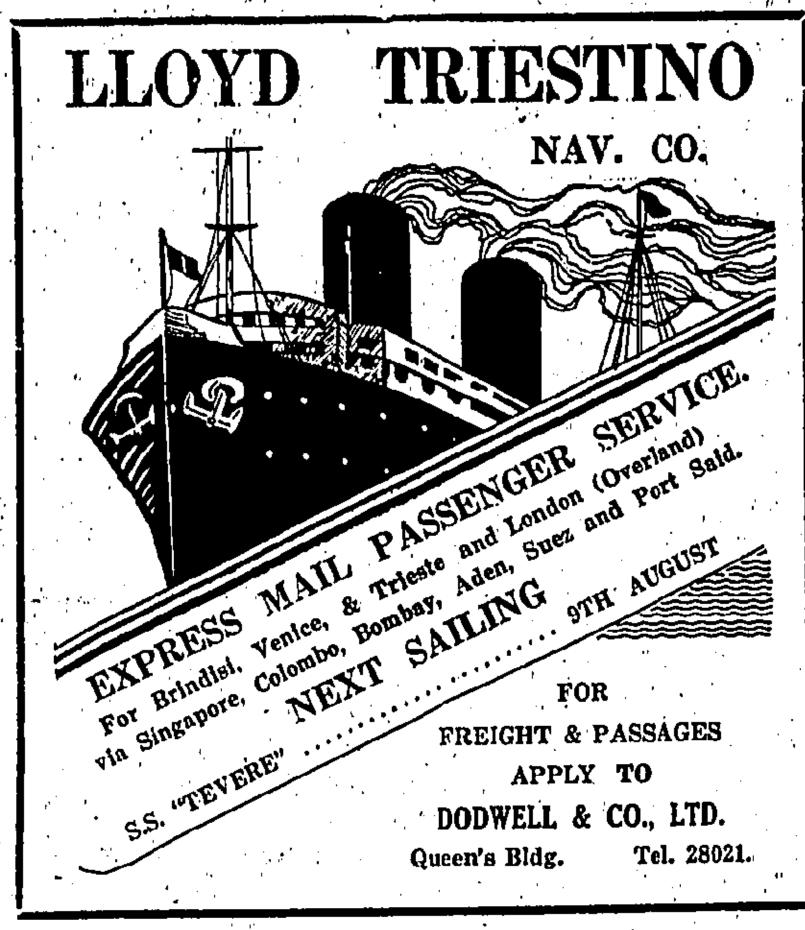
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Invasion Imminent. Henry VIII. carried on the work of building up a navy. In 1515 the Henry Grace de Dieu, a five-masted vessel, the largest ship then afloat, was launched in the Thames, and by 1539, when an invasion of Britain was imminent, the Royal Navy had in commission of 150 ships.

In this reign a Navy Board was formed for the organisation and administration of H.M. Fleet, and Trinity House was founded for the supply of trained pilots with power to make "all and singular articles in any wise concerning the science

and art of mariners." Britain became a maritime state under Henry, and in the reign Elizabeth her growing strength was put to the test.

The defeat of the Armada 1588 was the climax of the work Elizabethan seamen, with the result, to quote Seely: "Here begins the modern history of England." | chanics and skilled workmen came

The Ground-Work. The activities of the British rulers in the 16th. century were the ground-work for the preparation of Empire expansion.

Here was the beginning of Navy and the formation of trading companies for the establishment of commercial relations with various parts of the non-European world.

The 17th. century saw rise on this foundation the structure of an empire which, by the end of the 19th. century, was to become world

Britain now, if not mistress of the seas, was sufficiently powerful to render trade routes safe for her shipping and protect and sustain any settlers who might be enterprising enough to seek homes in

new countries. Prior to this period, although Britain's geographical position was miralty chart of the place and the centre of the ocean world, she was only a third-rate sea power, picking up the scraps of overseas trade on the sufferance of those nations who were her superiors in

naval development. Although attempts were made to colonise Newfoundland in 1583. and Virginia in 1587, without success, owing to lack of support from the mother country, the foundation of the British Empire began when the permanent settlement of Jamestown, Virginia, was Tues established in 1607.

Rapid Expansion. From that date each succeeding Thurs 23 03 22 6:1 cycle of years saw the rapid expansion of the British Empire, the rate of expansion depending on gtrength of the Navy.

The colonisers started with wrong ideas, for they began digging for gold and endeavouring find a river which would be navigable for a long distance: "for in that way you shall soonest find the other sea," as the instructions prepared for the Council expressed it. The C.P.S. R.M.S. Empress of in their orders to Captain-Newport Japan arrived at Woosung on July Menelaus, British str., 6,824 tons to discover the true route to the 20 (Mon.) at 5,80 a.m., left Woo-South Sea a quest that was found sung on July 21 (Tues) at I a.m. to be impracticable after Lane had and la due at Kobe on July 22 Captain J. Smith had maner ideas for Yokohama on July 28 (Thurs.) and cleated ground to grow corn; at o a.m. while John Rolle husband of Poca Forthe CP.S. R.M.S. Empress of

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Guilds fitted out their own | fleets | American shore making an external with the General Motors Corporation, accompanied by wife and son. Rev. Father John J. Coniff, acown defence; the Royal Navy being man Catholics, Pennsylvania by companied by Rev. Fathers, J. G. still in its infancy, a matter of no Quakers, New Plymouth by a Haggerty, F. W. O'Hara, J. J. Martin, who are members of the faculty of the Ateneo de Manila boys' College in Manila.

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Capt. J. D. Fraser, from Swatow, buoy No. A5.—B. & S. outside interference; al- Oder, German str., 5,829 tons, Capt. H. Grantz, from Shanghai, buoy No. A2.-Melchers &

> Sodegaura - Maru, Japanese str., 830 tons, Capt. K. Yamanaka, from Keelung, buoy No. C7 .--

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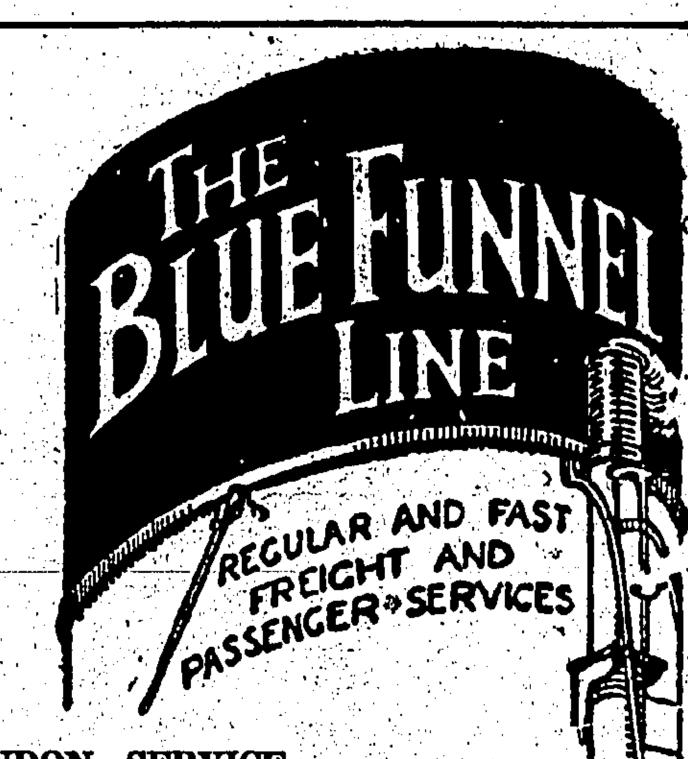
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PADUA	6,000	22nd	Aug.	Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg
†KARMALA	9,000	29th '	Aug.	Marseilles, London. Rotterdam, Ant   werp & Hull.
•ALIPORE	5,300	2nd	Sept	Straits, Colombo & Bombay.
CATHAY	15,000	12th	Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
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though on more than one occasion | she was the sea power without during the reign of the Stuarts and second.' the Civil Wars, the colonies were on the verge of ruin, the command of the sea having been lost. British Market.

market to British manufactured Britain and Spain, later France goods, which they tried to keep to joined in. themselves by a series of navigation acts, irritating to the colonists and resented by other nations, rivals in the field of colonial enter-

North America.

for over one hundred years was our as they were intercepted and never bitterest enemy and rival in colonial | reached America.

nation prepared to assist him in his destroyed the French Navy vagant ideas of world dominion.

In 1636 Jacques Cartier sailed up seas possessions was won by sea the St. Lawrence, finally reaching power. boat, ascended to Mount Royal in the fight for America began land north of the St. Lawrence and France. under the name of New France and

New Territory Explored. colonists, but there were only a he saw the British Empire as few thousand settlers when Louis | whole and refused to allow Britain t- his vigorous encouragement much | tinental politics." new territory was explored and

far as the mouth, and all territory been made stronger than ever. west of a line approximately mark- revolt had been stirred up among ed by the 80 parallel designated the inhabitants of Acadia, who French territory and occupied by a | were of French extraction, and a chain of detached posts.

The French settlers could not, Atlantic sea board, but the scheme | ther south out of range of military | ruly colony, it was a world war. certainly had the effect of encir- operations. cling the British settlements and preventing expansion inland.

out elsewhere by the rival fleets. combined French and Spanish fleets require it. were unable to defeat the British In 1758 an expedition under Genfleet off Malaga and were unsuccess- eraly Wolfe assisted by a strong Naval supremacy remained ful in their attempts to capture fleet under Admiral Saunders cap- trifle longer with Britain's enemies

continent of Europe prevented his Montreal, the last French strong- until Admiral Rodney met de replacing his losses to the fleet and hold in Canada, decided the fate of Grasse between the islands of in consequence, France was unable New France. to maintain a navy strong enough to protect her colonial possessions.

was indeed a commanding one: France seceded Acadia, later known Boscawen off Lagos, by Hawke at enough to enable the Americans to as Nova Scotia, acknowledged Bri- Quibron and Rodney's bombard- effect their independence, was now tish supremacy over the Iroquois, ment of Havre, France gave regained and has been retained to and recognised Hudson Bay as Bri- up all claims to any territory the benefit of colonial expansion tish territory. She also gave up in North America except New until recently. Newfoundland, retaining fishing Orleans. rights and the privilege of curing fish on the shores of the island. | fleet was allowed to sink below the interests to the Far East and not

"Before that war (the war of the of our American colonies. one of the sea powers; after that wrote to the Duke of Newcastle as affairs.

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turers.

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After 25 years uninterrupted peace, during which period the Colonies made steady and successful progress industrially and commer-The growth of the colonies gave | cially, war broke out, first between

> The British found the opposition severe but were, however, successful in North America.

Strong Fort Built. After the loss of Acadia the The Dutch were at this time our | French built at great expense the most powerful competitors, but the strong fort of Louisberg on Cape sea fights in the Channel, if not al- Breton Island, commanding the enways resulting in defeat, had weak- trance to the Gulf of St. Lawrence. ened her so materially, that she In 1745 a British squadron assist ceased to be a Naval Power of any ed by one hundred ships and 4,00 importance and was glad to use for | colonists, attacked and captured peace, giving up all her claims in Twice in the next two years the French sent Fleets and transports France took Holland's place and to recapture it, but without success

The British Naval victories, that When Louis XIV. became actual of Anson off Finisterre, ruler of France in 1661, he found a Hawke's off Belle Isle, both in 1747, ambitious designs. He had extra- forced the peace of Aix-la-Chapelle, when Louisberg was given back. Canada had already been claimed | The French want of an adequate for France. In 1608 Champlain navy was much in evidence and landed and built a fort at Quebec. once again the security of our over-

the Luchine Rapids in a rowing | The culminating and final phase (Montreal), returning to Quebec 1756 with the Seven Years War, the claiming as a French possession all issue being wholly between Britain by her were anxious to see Great

Fortunately for Britain there was a man at the head of affairs. William Pitt, who as Gratton said The fish and furs attracted of him, "In the conduct of affairs XIV. came to the throne. Under to be lost in the intricacies of con-

French Active. The Mississippi was navigated as active in Canada. Louisberg had at his disposal, although they wer: chain of forts was built in Ohio.

The trouble in Acadia was solved

While the conflicts between the ful, but in 1767 a strong British assistance of the Americans who colonists were incessant and under liest under Admiral Boscawen and were besieging Cornwallis. in cisive, the main issues were fought a strong landing party under Gen- Yorktown at the mouth of, the eral Amherst captured Louisberg, James River and caused his sur-France was badly beaten at the which was demolished, as we had render. battle of La Hogue in 1692 and the the harbour of Halifax and didn't

tured Quebec. The fall of Quebec and it looked as though our great King Louis' commitments on the and the subsequent seizing of colonial Empire would disappear

Claims Renounced. The naval position of Britain culmination of a victorious war, the greatest naval battle of the time marked by the overwhelming de- decisively defeated him. In 1713 at the peace of Utrecht, feats of the French navy by

'Admiral Mahon summarises the strength necessary to maintain law improbably led to the opening of position in the following words:- and order and resulting in the loss new territories such as Australia

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The colonists, having no ties of either love or fear, refused to comply and when pressure was brought to bear revolted, after presenting memorials to Parliament and a petition to the King.

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After this disaster France, Spain and Holland joined the insurgents; Prussia, Russia, Denmark and however, be said to possess the ter- by deporting those who refused to Sweden entered into an agreement ritory in the solid fashion of the take the oath of allegiance, to the of "Armed Neutrality." It was no British occupation along the number of 6,000, to colonies fur- longer a case of chastising an un-

The French sleet under de Grasse, The attacks of the colonies on having evaded the British fleet the chain of forts was not success- under Kempenfeld, came to the American Independence was now

Greatest Naval Battle.

Guadaloupe and Martinique as the French were on the way to join a At the peace of Paris, 1763, the | Spanish fleet at Hispanolia, and in

The naval supremacy, lost long

The loss of the American With the close of the war the Colonies shifted British Imperial and New Zealand and increased the

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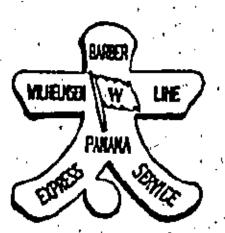
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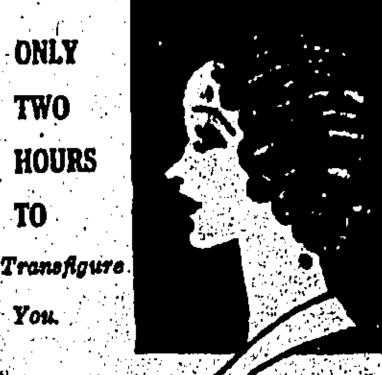
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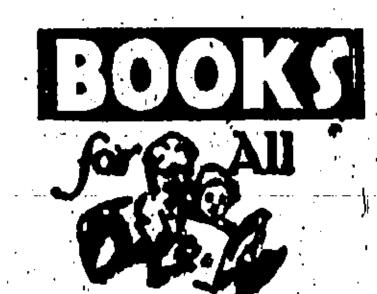
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The Government's reply was that short-wave transmitter was under consideration.

Singapore.

The report of the technical com-

The chairman said that what was required was a medium-wave transbody in Singapore whatever his Office were wholly favourable, submeans of reception were—either ject to all possible cheapening. The valve-set or crystal—and if programmes were to be heard outside Scheme was therefore revised for Singapore, they would require a submission to the Colonial Office. short-wave transmitter especially the cost being £22,000. for that purpose.

Technical Committee's Report Considerable discussion followed report, and ultimately it was decid- and to contribute 5s. per licence to ed to submit to Government the fol- the Empire service. Thereupon to the Government's letter:

is sufficiently large a city to warrant special broadcast service and that, instead of compromising in the Colonies increased. The Treasury Bullock's matter of wavelength in order to declined to find the money pending serve both local and distant listeners, the position of the station, wavelength and radiating system should be chosen with the primary object of providing for all classes of the population the most efficient and economical reception within the

limits of the island. "The technical committee suggest that a medium wavelengthsay between 250 and 450 metresand a modulated output of ample power to give crystal reception would be most suitable for our needs. Providing that the station is located centrally in the city, it is Direct Exporters of Swatow Drawn estimated that this would give the

> "Since distant listeners have reported poor reception of Petaling Hill it will be necessary to provide for distant reception of local programmes by means of a dual wavelength transmission, as experiments have already proved the great difficulty in providing for both local and distant listeners in Britain with a single wavelength transmission.

> "In Fecommending a - medium wavelength for local broadcast it is understood that the present wireless coast station equipment will be replaced in the near future as causes great interference.

"The society is prepared to organise programmes and operate the studio equipment, but would be unable to provide a complete modern studic apparatus and the funds for payment of professional artistes. The local gramophone firms have offered to lend their latest records whenever required. The question of landlines for outside broadcast is a big one and outside the scope

of our society." Associate Members. there were many many people who members without any voice in the It has also been analysing the

Treasury Refuses to Assist B.B.C. Scheme.

BROADCASTING FOR COLONIES.

The whole question of Empire ing of the Amateur Wireless Society Broadcasting is now coming to the July 5 at the G. H. Sweetshop, the front on the Post Office Estimates. president, Mr. P. B. Sewell, presid- Empire broadcasting was originally ing. There was a representative discussed for the first time in 1929 when it was raised by the B.B.C., to whom the idea of a Colonial speech on the work of the society, service appealed. Towards the end during which he said that the so- of the year official proposals were ciety was revived after a period of put forward to the Post Office coinseveral years' inactivity at the end ciding in date with a request for such a echeme by Lord Passfield. In June 1930 there was a Conferintroduced. I think it would be a seven years older since its first ence of the B.B.C. with the Colonial Office, Post Office, India Office, a medium-wave transmitter would Dominions Office, and the not be available for Singapore, but Privy Seal. All were more or less however, is so hard up for money only emphasise its feebleness. the scheme for the installation of a in favour but the Dominions Office that now he has given \$17,500 a Mr. Loraine finds It possible to the rest, they can only rant about representatives stated that the year to Opera he cannot afford a reproduce something of the nerve- Love and Hate and Beauty and financial contribution could not be mittee as to the possibilities of asked from the Dominions and Free Press. broadcasting in Singapore was then would not be forthcoming. The

India Office approved the scheme, but could not pledge financial supnitter which would reach every- port. The Colonial Office and Post In July 1930 the Colonial Office

Conference approved the Scheme and undertook to regularise the Beef Sirl regarding the technical committee's licence systems of their Colonies, lowing amended report with a reply the Post Office, through which the B.B.C. must act, approached the "It is considered that Singapore Treasury for a grant of £22,000 to be gradually covered as the incoming licence revenue from the the Imperial Conference.

At the Imperial Conference in 1930, the Dominions expressed a lukewarm support, but invited the Government to ask the B.B.C. to enquire their opinion from Dominion broadcasters. The Post Office accordingly early: this year asked the B.B.C. to communicate with the Dominion broadcasters, and also Calves I with the Colonial Office as looking after the Crown Colonies. The B.B.C. did so at once, but so far no Dominion broadcasters have sent in their observations. It, however, pigs Chi notified the Colonial Office, with the object of getting Treasury sanction for proceeding with the scheme as a Colonial Scheme without waiting on the probably indecisive Dominion opinions. Once more therefore the request for the £22,000 was sent in to the Treasury. Once again the freasury turned it down (May 1981). The matter will therefore presumably come up on the Post

It is worth while, however, giving some idea as to what the B.B.C. thinks it could do, and it is basing its conclusions on some experimental work it has been carrying out jointly with the Marconi Company at Chelmsford. It comes to the conclusion that reception may be said to be good at suitable times the following countries:-Canada; United States of America: Argentine; East and West Coasts of Africa; Nigeria, and to a less extent the West Indies.

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government of the society, on pay- white populations overseas who ment of a subscription of 50 cents might conceivably be supposed to The proposal to amend benefit. They run of course into rule 5s, in this connection, was millions, and I notice that in East unanimously carried. Colonies It was also stated that a certain the Red Sea and the Mid-East room in Orchard Road, which Mr. Sudan, the figure is given as 46,000; Mackerel Newton had placed at the disposal in the Straits Settlements at 12,000 | Monk Fish of the society, might be suitable for and in Borneo and the Pacific 4,000. Mulles associate members to meet one an- There are of course a good many. Oysters other and read wireless books. The coloured peoples who also would Pastot Wish speaker thought that a notice conceivably listen-in. A short wave should be circulated to members to station would have to be utilised the effect that they could use the and of these there are in the world Plates alternative room for reading . It 61, which include Nairobi Manilla, was not the sofficial society's room, Bandoeng. (Java); and the but a room'that had been thrown Bandoeng (Java) Ladio Service. open to members, for their con- The exact proposals of the B.B.C. Rock Will wentered at the state of the B.B.C. Rock Will wentered at the state of the B.B.C. Rock Will wentered at the state of the B.B.C. Rock Will wentered at the state of the B.B.C. Rock Will wentered at the state of the B.B.C. Rock Will wentered at the state of the B.B.C. Rock Will wentered at the state of the B.B.C. Rock Will wentered at the state of the B.B.C. Rock Will wentered at the state of the B.B.C. Rock Will wentered at the state of the B.B.C. Rock Will wentered at the state of the B.B.C. Rock Will wentered at the state of the B.B.C. Rock Will wentered at the state of the B.B.C. Rock Will wentered at the state of the B.B.C. Rock Will wentered at the state of the B.B.C. Rock Will wentered at the state of the B.B.C. Rock Will wentered at the state of the B.B.C. Rock Will wentered at the state of the state of the B.B.C. Rock Will wentered at the state of Control of the Original Wilesen Control of the Cont

ARE NOT LIKE THAT.

Protest at Revival of "Tiger Cats."

"I protest. Women are not like that." shouted a woman in the dress circle of the Royalty Theatre as the curtain fell on the revival of Mme. Karen Bramson's "Tiger

Goaded to exasperation by the Apparently the B.B.C. is willing vanity, extravagance, and selfishness of his rapacious and dishonest wife, her husband, who used for home consumption. It is was a noted professor of psychoon these figures that the Treasury logy, shot her, in Act II. But she has been asked to subscribe £22,000. survived to have her revenge, Presumably the balance can be the last act, by forcing him secured from the Colonies. In any confess that he does not hate her, case the Treasury turn-down seems but loves her. So she has him to be very short-sighted, and the under her thumb for ever. Now, whole issue is to be raised on the why did no man shout "I protest. Post Office estimates. If such an Men are not like that?" Empire Broadcasting Service is This play is no better for being

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be evolved on lines of interest to Edith Evans and Mr. Robert

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DR. BRUENING BOOED.

Rowdy Reception on Return to Germany.

Berlin, June 10. Booing, whistling, and shouts of "Germany awake!" greeted the Chancellor, Dr. Bruening, and the Foreign Minister, Dr. Curtius, when they arrived here this afternoon on their return from London. Five hundred Nazis (Hitler Fascists) had lined up before the station, and as soon as the German delegation emerged the raucous chorus of protest broke loose.

Mounted police rode into the crowd with drawn clubs, and soon dispersed it.

The Chancellor, looking pale and nervous hurriedly entered his motor-car and drove away.

A similar greeting had been given to the German Ministers when they disembarked at Bremery

Britain. I suppose Mr. Snowden, such great artists of the theatre sublime petulance of her Millamant in "The Way of the World." For more useful scheme. - Singapore Father," and Miss Evans achieves vague words, writes J. G. B. in two or three sentences with the Evening News.

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SATURDAY THURSDAY



COMMENCING SUNDAY, 26th JULY.

#### DONOR OF MILLIONS MEETS THE KING.

Man Who Has Given Away £9,000,000.

#### MR. HARKNESS.

Mr. Edward S. Harkness, New York, the man who gives away millions and whom millions would not induce to talk, broke the habits of a life-time and was eloquent. He talked with the King

He has just slipped into London and if he had his way he would slip out of London again without any one knowing it.

He is staying with his wife and -valet-at-a-Mayfair-hotel-but-he-is not supposed to be there. That is official from the hotel itself. But the King somehow got

town-it was no fault of Mr. Harkness-and Mr. Harkness was asked to call at the Palace. Mrs. Harkness along with him. Mr. Harkness and the King spent of the contents, not being the con-

in all probability chatted with any the cases. one for so long in his life. It was a very happy meeting, and Mr. Harkness when he came said he had not handled this kind of out of the Palace was beaming. Then he went back to his hotel

and the silent life once more.....

His Only Hobby. of age, tall, slim, with grey hair | brand of needles, which goods also fast turning the colour of snow, a came from Japan. man who, without much make-up, would pass for President Wilson come back to life. He is dressed in an ordinary and unexpensivelooking lounge suit, and a soft hat. There you have a close-up of the man whose only hobby in life is giving away millions to whatever charity or charitable objects he fancies.

Mr. Harkness is the despair of the begging-letter writers-in fact, his name has been struck out of the "Beggar's Who's Who." Begging-letter writers have spent small fortune in postage stamps on the shy man of millions. Mr. Harkness does not mind. He neve opens any letters.

And as for callers, he is always "out." This is a standing instruction to the hotel staff wherever Mr. Harkness happens to be stay-

Mr. Harkness had about £18,000 000 to indulge his little whim of giving away millions when he started his hobby. He has given so much away in his own native country that Americans have given up gasping when they read of another of his princely gifts.

He has already parted with £9.000.000 or more. He gave \$2,000,000 to Britain to be ad ministered by a board of five distinguished men, whom he appointed as the trustees of the fund.

#### A Great Tribute.

minded American who wished to his little million or two gifts to show his gratitude for Britain did in the war.

an anonymous gift—the secret of the donor leaked out later of thusian monk in his cloister. £100,000 to St. Andrew's University, and later added £20,000 to the £20,000 he had aiready given towards the new Shakespeare Memorial Theatre at Stratford-on-

He has given away money to universities both in Britain and his put £2,500,000 at the disposal of Harvard for the erection "houses" after the type of the colleges at Oxford and Cambridge. Then he gave £3,000,000 to his

old university, Yale. That sum has since become \$5,000,000.

#### AGENT'S STATUS Forged Trade Marks

"PROLIFIC SOURCE."

from Japan.

In the course of the hearing of a summons brought by Messrs. Jeb-" sen and Co. yesterday, it was stated by the solicitor for the defence (Mr. 1 Horace Lo) that his clients, Messrs. Kwong Yat-on, of Kwong Yuen

trade marks. Two cases of the goods, a brand of soap named Blumen Tollette Seife, and valued at \$480, had already been confiscated by order of the Court. The question remaining to be decided was the extent, if any, famous for its historical treasures

know that Mr. Harkness was in of defendants' responsibility. The manager of defendant firm said he acted as shipping agent for the Li Tung Company, Kobe, con-Mr. Harkness went, and he took signors of the soap. He took delivery here, not knowing the nature half an hour in conversation to signee. He was guided by the ingether. Mr. Harkness has never | voice, and saw no reason to open

#### Made In Japan.

In cross-examination, witness scap before. He was not aware that Japan was a prolific source of infringements. He also denied that his firm had been involved in Picture a man about fifty years a previous summons concerning a

The hearing was adjourned.

#### MONEY BY THREATS Adventures of a Fille de Joie.

Three Shanghai Chinese appeared before Mr. Fraser at Kowloon any monetary amount. Court yesterday, charged with demanding \$240 with threats of force, from a Chinese man and woman. A second charge of conspiracy was also preferred.

It was stated that one of the de- mittee at Paris. fendants met the woman in Canton, and later she lived in Yaumati and Hong Kong. She afterwards met the second complainant, who took her to his house in Nathan Road. First defendant heard of this, and demanded money from her, threatening to murder her if she did not find-it. The sum of \$20 was paid

A few days later, first defendant and the two others charged again appeared at the house, demanding \$240, with the alleged threat, that they would either kill both complainants, or hound them out of Hong Kong. They were arrested at a tea house after information had been laid with the Police. The complainants gave evidence,

after which the hearing was adjourned until July 31.

It was the tribute of a great spy out the land for another what charity? The only man with the key to that riddle is Mr. Edward But this is not all Mr. Harkness | S. Harkness, and when it comes to talking about himself or his gifts

to charity he is as silent as a Car-No, Mr. Harkness, man of millions, is as poor as a pauper in words. It is just "Good morning," "Good afternoon," or "Good night"

to all who greet him on his way to his private suite at his hotel. But Mrs. Harkness-you can Hear all about her from the pageown country, and three years ago he boys! Every year she gives these chubby-faced youngsters with the uncounted buttons whatever they like-a cricket bat, a set of box-

#### THE PARIS EXHIBITION FIRE.

#### Result of Insufficient Precautions.

BATAVIA'S SAD LOSS.

Batavia, July 7. On Monday, June 29, the sad news from Paris was received at Batavia that a fire during the Street East, had merely acted as small hours of the night from -forwarding-agents-for a firm in Saturday-to-Sunday had reduced, Japan, "They had no knowledge the splendid Dutch pavilion in the that the goods bore infringing Colonial Exhibition at Paris to

> General consternation ruled both in Holland and in Java, especially at Batavia whence the most valuable part of the exposition had come. The Museum at Batavia is" which are guarded jealously by a committee consisting of distinguished authorities. It contains specimens of the history of Java from the earliest date and many of the treasures are of gold and adorned with precious stones. All those treasures are lost now. One can understand that the news brought grief to many who are interested in the historical treasures of the Museum.

#### A Guard Of One.

Further telegrams confirmed the story. Condolences came in from all parts of the world, from Courts and Consulates, but soon the question was raised: how could the whole pavilion have been destroyed by fire if the building had been properly watched and guarded? The telegrams brought no information on this point, but later it became known that only one man had been on guard over this collection during the night; a collection worth millions of guilders if the value of such an historical collection can ever be expressed in

The Directory of the Museum made use of radio-telephone connection and on Saturday afternoon they had an interview by telephone with the representative of the com-

#### Historic Statues Lost.

During this interview the following particulars became known: Practically the whole consignment of the Batavia Museum has been destroyed; very little has been saved. The twenty-five splendid, bronze Hindu statues, of the highest historical value are absolutely lost; of the twenty-two small golden Hindu statuettes only one is partially saved.

The Directory of the Museum, owing to the rules against the sending of any consignments had sent their collection only on condition that the greatest care should be taken of the possessions and that a vault should be at hand to store the most valuable pieces during the night. The representative intimated to the Directory that a vault never had been here, only a small safe, just big enough to held small statuettes not higher than ten inches.

This safe could not even hold the

golden sirih-plates. He further said that the whole pavilion, containing a value beyond estimation, had been watched b only one man. All the lights were extinguished during the night. Probably there had been another guard on one of the galleries.

Finally the representative complained of having been kept out of all conference and meeting of the -Dutch Exhibition Committee, while the demands of the Batavian committee regarding insurance had it was stated not been fulfilled noting gloves, a gramophone, a foot- withstanding promises to that ball, or a shove ha penny board! effect.—Singapore Free Press.

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